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Licensing Peddlers, Bikes, Beer, Slot-Machines Proposed

Present Municipal Financing Methods Are Out of Date, Declares Business Man

By FLOYD R. MABEE

(This article is based on a talk given by Floyd R. Mabee, Newmarket business man, at a recent meeting of the Fifteen club, a town debating organization.)

To the readers of this article, I would like to point out that it is not given with the objective in view to create any ill-feeling among our townsfolk. I will admit it is tough criticism but it is constructive criticism. Nevertheless, I warn you now, if your nerves are bad, and you are a dyed-in-the-wool so-and-so, don't read any further, turn to the next article, because you will only turn up your nose at this article, the same as you have done before, dozens of times, after reading articles dealing with much the same type of subject.

I offer this article to you, rather to try and enlighten some of our citizens on advantages that could be theirs, if aggressive measures were used in our town. I particularly direct this item to you, all of you, who let the other fellow do your thinking for you.

Everyone on every side admits today that conditions have changed, so much so, that when you ask the question, "What has changed?" no one seems to be able to answer your question. But we all admit, with one accord, that conditions have certainly changed. We think different, we act different, in short, we live in a different world than we did 20 years ago.

Man's own wisdom has done that for us. And to all of these individuals we owe our thanks. Who is the business man that would like to go back to the work in an office of even 20 years ago? Or who is the house-

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Hitler May End His Career Like Haman, Jews Believe

MERCHANT RECEIVES INTERESTING LETTER FROM U. S. COUSIN

Will Adolf Hitler be another Haman and end his life on the gallows of persecution and death that he has erected for countless millions of human beings throughout the world?

Jewish people all over the world are today celebrating ("Purim") their deliverance from Haman, and are observing that great day in their history encouraged by the hope that this modern Haman will likewise perish from the tools of destruction which he himself has forged, Isaac Lindenbaum, Newmarket merchant, informed The Era this week.

The following excerpts from a letter which Mr. Lindenbaum has received from a cousin, Rabbi Aaron Mauskopf, of Macon, Georgia, tell of the way in which Jews and Gentiles of the United States are working to defeat and crush this modern German tyrant and persecutor.

"Naturally we fully understand the tension and anxiety as well as the heavy strain you experience these days," writes Rabbi Mauskopf.

"I suppose there is not a spot in this world where life is free from these heavy and strained events. You see, even in America, in small as in big cities, there is a cloud of expectation and suspense about everything.

"Conditions here are uncertain as well. But, thank God, America is speeding up its preparations for defence and is becoming fast an active ally of Britain.

"America now overwhelmingly realizes that Britain is her first line of defence! This should cheer every freeman everywhere and, above all, you and all Canadians.

"Daily as I read the account of European events, my admiration and gratitude mounts tenfold for the gallantry and bulldog courage of those free Englishmen—soldiers and civilians, men and women, lords and commoners—above all the R.A.F.—those gallant knights of the empire.

"This great struggle of the British will for centuries stand out as the most magnificent epic of the British Isles.

"Near my city there's located a great military camp for training and the streets are literally cluttered with uniforms. It is my cherished hope that America with Britain will save our liberal civilization from ruin yet.

"You have been so good to us that we hope we have a chance to entertain you here at our town some day. I have a nice synagogue here and am kept busy with my work.

"How we would like to celebrate in joy this period which holds out for us the memory of a great deliverance from a Haman 2,300 years ago. Let us now read the Megillah with renewed hope and courage that some such event may be repeated in our own time.

"About Poland, we get letters from Helen's mother and family. They receive, so they say, the food and money that is sent to them."

The letter also mentions Mr. Lindenbaum's son, Sergeant Albert Lindenbaum, who is in the army medical corps and is stationed at Valcartier.

TONIGHT'S THE NIGHT

The annual Tom Kirk kids' night, which is eagerly awaited by the public and separate school children of Newmarket, will be held in the arena tonight. It is expected that the rink will be filled with hundreds of vociferous and thoroughly happy youngsters.

Hockey champions of the public school league will be decided and the winners will be taken to see a professional game in Toronto. Separate school pupils won the trophy for the most points last year and the other schools are out to take it from them.

Winners of the races will be awarded vouchers which may be used for the purchase of war savings stamps or merchandise at any of the local stores. These vouchers will be redeemed by H. A. Jackson, treasurer of the fund.

TALENT AND BEAUTY WILL AID RED CROSS

A Red Cross revue under the direction of Mrs. A. N. Belugin will be held in the town hall next Thursday and Friday, March 20 and 21.

Local talent under Mrs. Belugin's direction last year succeeded in raising $200 for the Newmarket Red Cross in a similar revue. The praise and applause at that time speak well for the success of this year's presentation.

"The same group of local artists, augmented by new members (and what members!) is presenting another show next week for our entertainment and for the good of the Red Cross treasury," Alex. Belugin told The Era.

The calibre of the entertainment is evident from the list of artists who will take part in this year's revue. Some of the talent taking part include Mary Davis, Marie Draper Lyons, Mary Margaret Webb, Barbara Davis, Alice and Vera Belugin, Jean Davis, Betty Dales, Ronald Eves, Eileen Jackson, Donald Davis, Virginia Davis.

Then there are W. A. Walker, Toronto tenor, Mrs. A. T. Byram, Toronto, his accompanist, Mrs. Tom Leach, accompanist for local talent, and Alex. Eves, leading a glorious ballet, from the "Merry Widow," entitled "I'm going to Maxim's," with a bevy of gorgeously dressed beautiful girls, Anne Rogers, Gloria Peppiatt, Joan Peppiatt, Isabel Cody, Joan Nesbitt, Doris Case, Dorothy Dales (Newmarket), and Dorothy Dales (Toronto).

BILL WHITE'S BROTHER IS BACK HOME AGAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White were in Toronto yesterday to welcome home "Bill's" brother, Cpl. C. L. White, who has just returned from England after 15 months service in England. Another brother, George, is on special war service in England. "Bill's" two sons, Jim and David, are stationed near each other in England.

DIE CAST FOR NEW WELL, AT SPECIAL MEET

LONG DISCUSSIONS OF WATER PROBLEM END IN CONTRACT

MAYOR AGREES

Unanimous approval to the contract with the International Water Supply Company to sink a deep well near the present Cotter St. well, was given at a special meeting of the town council Thursday evening. Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale said that test-holes would be drilled almost immediately, and if they proved satisfactory work on the well would proceed.

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told the council that he had gone over the contract with J. B. MacNamama, the company engineer, and C. C. Rachar, town engineer, after the last meeting.

"Did they remove your doubts?" asked Reeve Fred A. Lundy.

"Oh, I'll always have doubts about some things," replied the mayor. "However, I think it is a good contract and worded very well."

N. L. Mathews, K. C., town solicitor, said that, assuming the development of the maximum of 350 gallons, $18,000 in debentures would be issued to cover the cost of the well. "This would include the cost of the 350 gallons maximum, which is $17,200, and an extra $800 for such things as the cost of issuing debentures and a roof to cover the well," added Mr. Mathews.

Councillor A. D. Evans said that he thought it would be a good idea to issue enough debentures to "include the project at the waterworks."

"You would need a separate contract for that," replied Mr. Mathews. However, he said that the cost of such a contract could be considered before issuing debentures. "We will arrange with the Bank of Toronto to get the money as needed."

"The plan will have to be authorized and approved by the department of health and must be taken to the municipal board for approval," declared Mr. Mathews. "I hope to have approval of the authorizing by-law for the next meeting."

"This is quite a big project and I hope with everyone it comes out successfully," said Mayor Dales. "If it doesn't, there should be no criticism. It was well thought out by the committee and I have no suggestions for any change in the contract.

"Mr. Rachar will see that we get a good settlement. I would have liked to see the minimum a little higher, but I didn't argue about that."

Deputy-Reeve Vale said that "we would be paying too much for a higher guaranteed minimum — something like $4,000 more for a 300-gallon-a-minute minimum."

"I don't care what it costs as long as we get the water," replied the mayor. However, Mr. Vale said that the 150-gallon minimum was just as good for Newmarket as a higher minimum since a 150-gallon-a-minute flow would solve the town's water problems.

In reply to an inquiry by Reeve Lundy, Mr. Mathews said that he had heard "nothing further about the registering of the unemployed." The town solicitor stated that he had interviewed officials of the Ontario department of welfare.

"They said they would take things up with the deputy-minister and let me know," he concluded.

POPULAR YOUNG MAN, C. J. W. PLAYTER DIES

Ill for two years, and seriously ill in a Toronto hospital for the past eight weeks, Clarkson John Watson Playter died in Toronto on Wednesday.

Born in Pine Orchard on Jan. 3, 1914, the son of Ida Crone and Stanley Playter, he was popular in this district where he had lived all his life until he moved to Burlington four years ago. He married Mildred Croxall of Uxbridge on Sept. 25, 1938. Mr. Playter was a member of the United church in Burlington.

Left to mourn his loss are his wife, his parents and one sister, Mrs. Frank Chandler, of Toronto.

The service will be conducted by Rev. Harry Parry of Wellington at the funeral chapel of Roadhouse and Rose tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 D.S.T. Interment will be made in Pine Orchard cemetery.

Newmarket Painting Accepted For Art Show

Honor has again come to a Newmarket artist, R. L. Chadwick. The Ontario Society of Artists has accepted for its 69th annual exhibition an oil painting from this gifted artist.

"Rural Gristmill" is the title of the accepted picture, which will be on view until April 1 at the Toronto Art Gallery.

Inspiration for the picture was found in a scene near Peterboro. The picture is on a 25 by 30 inch canvas.

Tenaciously Does British Bulldog Fight His Way Up

Newmarket's imaginary war savings thermometer has gone up to the extent of 161 additional pledges since last week, P. J. Tod, chairman, told The Era.

Employee pledges in the factories now total 887 and bank pledges 193, making a total of 1,080. This is still a long way from the 1,500 objective.

Mr. Tod said that "returns are not complete as yet." He urges all the people in Newmarket, Queensville, Holland Landing, Sharon and Mount Albert, who as yet have not pledged themselves, to go to their banks and give their support to Canada's war effort.

TANNERS BEAT TOWN 5-4, TIE FINALS 1-ALL

WINNER WILL BE DECIDED IN BATTLE ROYAL ON TUESDAY

Davis Leather whitewashed the Town 4-0 Tuesday night to tie up the finals in the town league at one game apiece.

Seeking revenge for the 5-4 defeat administered by the Town last week, the tanners went at a fast clip during the whole 60 minutes of hockey.

By winning this game, Davis Leather necessitated a third and final play-off game, which will be played in the arena on Tuesday.

Harold Eakins scored the tannery goal in the first period on a pass from George Haskett.

In the second, P. Townsley scored twice. On the first goal he was assisted by Bob McCabe and Harold Brown, and on the second by McCabe.

Eakins got his second goal of the night in the third period, assisted by G. Haskett and Fred Lusted. This ended the scoring and Mickey Smith got a shut-out in the tannery goal.

While Davis Leather was the better team, their margin on the play didn't amount to four goals. The Town will be out to hand them a similar pasting next week and it should be a battle royal.

Davis Leather: goal, Mickey Smith; defence, Joe Peat and Bohmer Groves; centre, P. Townsley; wings, H. Brown and Bob McCabe; alternates, F. Lusted, Geo. Haskett, H. Eakins.

Town: goal, F. Dillman; defence, Stan Evans and Duke Dennis; centre, Ken. Blair; wings, Derb. Hartford, Tod. Moshier; alternates, V. Tait, H. Dennis and F. O'Halloran.

JOINS R.C.A.F.

Henry VanZant has joined the R.C.A.F. as radio mechanic and reports for duty on March 24 at North Bay.

SEE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND PRINCESS ALICE

Mrs. Fred Thompson and Mrs. Wm. Neufeld spent Tuesday afternoon in Toronto, where they attended a cooking school. In the evening they attended the Toronto skating carnival, and saw the governor-general of Canada, the Earl of Athlone, and Princess Alice, who were spending the day in Toronto.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH PLANS ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVITIES

An "Irish Night," under the auspices of St. John's R. C. church, Newmarket, will be held in the town hall on Monday evening.

The program will get under way with euchre in the market building at 8.30 p.m., D.S.T. Dancing to the accompaniment of Art West's orchestra will start at 9 p.m. on the top floor.

In addition, comedy and musical acts will be presented by Irish entertainers and singers, so gather up a spot of green and enjoy St. Patrick's night in the town hall.

Admission draw tickets for 20 handsome prizes are on sale. A draw ticket plus a small additional charge will be the admittance to the euchre or dance. However, it is not necessary to be present at the hall in order to win one of the prizes.

Part of the proceeds will be given to the British war victims' fund.

HEPBURN HELPS PROPERTY OWNER

A one-mill subsidy on the 1941 tax rate is again in store for taxpayers of Newmarket, N. L. Mathews, K.C., town treasurer, informed The Era this week. He said that official word to this effect has been received from the provincial government.

Reeve Fred A. Lundy, chairman of the finance committee, said that, since the town council has not struck its tax rate as yet, this reduction will be taken off before the rate is struck.

"We lost a half-mill a year ago," Mr. Lundy stated. "The Ontario government had been giving us a one and a half mill subsidy. It was cut to a mill last year."

MONTH-OLD INFANT FLIES ACROSS CANADA

Lawrence Allan Johns, month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Johns of west Vancouver and great-nephew of A. F. Johns of Gorham St., Newmarket, has already flown 13 hours in the air. It was on a T.C.A. passenger liner from Vancouver to Toronto, this week. The father is reporting for duty with the R.C.A.F. at manning depot, Toronto, and is an experienced flier.

Lawrence slept in a little wicker basket on his father's knee during the trip. He appeared delighted with his first flying experience.

FIRE MELTS ICE AT PICKERING



A fire, which started in a dressing-room of the Pickering College covered skating rink, brought hundreds of Newmarket citizens to the college grounds Sunday evening.

Fire was sweeping through the dressing-rooms when the firemen arrived and could be seen for some distance. However, the blaze was brought under control in a few minutes after the pumps were put into action.

Assistant Fire Chief Jos. Brammar estimated damage to the rink to be "about $600." He said that the rink was saved by its metal covering, which prevented the wind from fanning the blaze.

"The fire didn't get past the dressing-rooms and loft," Mr. Brammar told The Era.

This picture was taken by B. A. Budd.

PEOPLE TURN TO CHURCH IN TIME OF WAR

LENT FINDS PUBLIC INTERESTED IN CHURCH OBSERVANCES

MINISTERS' COMMENT

How strict are Newmarket people in observing Lent? The consensus of the opinion of Newmarket ministers seems to indicate that the answer to that question can be got best from each individual citizen himself.

"There's no rule for Lent in any of the non-conformist denominations," Rev. Arthur Greer, pastor of the Newmarket Congregational-Christian church, told The Era. "Fasting is not observed. What we give up is our time, to Bible study and devotions."

Mr. Greer believes that the observance of Lent is increasing. "Generally the denomination as a whole is observing it more fully," he declared.

On the other hand, Rev. Burton Hill, pastor of the Friends church, contends that nowadays Lent is observed "not nearly as much as it should be," by the general public.

"An interesting thing is that the Quakers don't feel that any particular season is unique in itself," he declared. "Any vital truth is eternal, not for just any portion of the year. That which is of value should become a lifetime habit.

"Among our people there has been a tendency to observe Lent and yet, on the other hand, there has been a definite endeavor to express our Christian faith in every sphere of life. Friends' service committees and service councils have in recent years been sending representatives into almost every field of unrest and, since the war, into almost all the areas of conflict, Finland, north Africa, China, England and Spain."

This is mainly aid to war refugees, Mr. Hill stated. He added that Lent is expected to be a matter of year-round observance for Quakers.

"Lent stresses what is the most unpopular and yet the most essential thing in life, humility and penitence as a step to right relationship with God and our fellow-man," said Rev. Arthur J. Patstone, pastor of St. Paul's Anglican church.

"The church expects its people to observe the season, but it is left to their own conscience as to what they shall do," he declared.

"In actual practice, how strictly is it carried out?" Mr. Patstone was asked.

"It varies amongst the people in the parishes," he said. "Some parishes are as strict as are the Roman Catholics."

"Is Lent observed as much as it used to be?" "No, it isn't observed as much as it used to be. Of course, no religious duties are. We all advise the people as to what we think they should do and it is left to their discretion."

Lenten regulations for Roman Catholics in the archdiocese of

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ATTENDS CONVENTION

Rev. Dr. A. E. Runnells, acting pastor of Trinity United church, is attending the convention of the Ontario Temperance Federation at London, Ont.

HITCH-HIKER COLLAPSES IN DEEP SNOW

While hitch-hiking north on Yonge St. near Holland Landing early yesterday morning, Alexander J. Johnston, 57, a former inmate of the Toronto men's hostel, collapsed in a snowdrift, where he was found several hours later.

Provincial Officer Ronald Hewatt, who was notified, had Johnston removed to York county hospital, Newmarket, where he was revived and related his experience.

People Congratulated On Carnival Results

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales has received the following letter from the president of a Georgetown seed company:

"When I heard Jim Hunter announce on CFRB that Newmarket had held a carnival and raised over $2,000 for the British War Victims' Fund, I was indeed thrilled and delighted to learn of such a magnificent donation.

"You, Mr. Mayor, must certainly be happy over this and to know that you have been elected by such true and generous citizens.

"Do not take time to answer this. My motive for writing is only to express admiration for the people of your town and community, who evidently believe in doing right things right."

Over 500 Men Will Arrive Here Next Week For Training

Camp Officials Understand Half Personnel Will Be Here For Active Service Training

Information at the Newmarket training camp is that 260 trainees and a like number of active service recruits will arrive on Thursday, March 20, for two months training here, with subsequent training at other camps.

In Ottawa on Friday Major-General L. R. LaFleche, assistant to Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister of war services, did not mention active service recruits in giving The Era information about the new training plan.

Major-General LaFleche is in charge of the trainees but the training camp itself comes under the department of national defence.

"I do not know how large a camp you have at Newmarket," Major-General LaFleche said. "But half of the total number of men will come in on March 20, and the other half a month later.

"At the end of two months, and monthly thereafter, another group of the same number will arrive in camp, and a class will leave the camp.

"When the trainees leave the camp they will have the choice of taking their other two months in artillery, infantry or engineers. They can also choose air force or the navy if they elect to join the active service forces."

The editor of The Era met Major-General LaFleche at a dinner in Ottawa and found him ready to give information about the camp for publication.

British Navy Will Save Day For Democracy, Pastor Says

BRITAIN IS MOTHER OF DEMOCRACIES, LIONS CLUB TOLD

"England, the mother of us all," was the subject of an address by Rev. Dr. A. E. Runnells before the Lions club on Monday evening. Second Vice-President Frank Bowser was in the chair.

"For more than 300 years England has been the custodian of the liberties and the safety of the world," said Dr. Runnells.

Recalling bids for conquest by Louis of France, Phillip of Spain, Napoleon, and Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, Dr. Runnells said that in each instance it was the British navy which saved the day.

"When Napoleon undertook to wade through slaughter to a throne, he was defeated and his power was broken at Trafalgar," said Dr. Runnells. "The British navy convoyed two-thirds of the United States' two and a half million men across the sea in the great war, and it will be British sea power which will spell the end for Hitler," Dr. Runnells declared.

Calling Britain the mother of nations, he said "surely she is the mother of that great nation to the south of us."

"These two great democracies are standing side by side for the defence of our liberties," he said. "That was a great victory in the United States senate on Saturday night. They have had a chance to express themselves and they have made a great decision.

"England has been the mother of poets and writers and scientists. She is the mother of parliaments. She has been the mother of democracies. She is the mother of heroes.

"England today is a monarchial democracy, a land of wealth, worth and worship.

"You don't wonder that the enemy wants that land and if he can't have it—and he can't have it—he is going to destroy it with his engines of destruction.

"It is presided over by the greatest king on the greatest throne in the world. His power is great but it is never to be used for his own personal purposes. Our king reigns but he doesn't rule.

"Not only is England the mother of great nations, mother of heroes, mother of democracies, she is the mother of the great spiritual assets of the world.

"If we win out in this tremendous struggle — and we are going to—it will be because we put a tremendous price on the great spiritual values that have been handed down to us by her that is the mother of nations."

Reeve Fred A. Lundy and Lions President J. S. Law moved a vote of thanks.

FLIER COUSIN IS KILLED IN CRASH

L.A.C. Gurney D. Barrett of Toronto, 22, cousin of Mrs. Herbert Dunham, Dawson Manor, Yonge St., was killed in an airplane crash over Saskatoon yesterday when two training planes collided in mid-air. He joined the R.C.A.F. last September and would have received his wings next Monday.

FARMER ENLISTS

Milton Morton, Holt farmer, has enlisted in the Royal Canadian Engineers and is in training at Toronto. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morton, Newmarket.

R.C.A.F. LOOKS FOR RECRUITS HERE

The R.C.A.F. mobile recruiting unit will visit Newmarket next Friday, March 21, making headquarters in the council chambers.

Applications are particularly desired from male stenographers, instrument-makers as well as candidates for training as air crew.

The results of the last visit were encouraging and it is expected that the mobile unit will recruit in the district at monthly intervals, according to Flying Officer J. W. Muckell, R.C.A.F. recruiting centre, Toronto.

KETTLEBY Y.P.U. ELECTS OFFICERS

Morris Hayward was elected president of the newly-revived Young People's Union of Kettleby United church at a meeting in the temperance hall last week. Weekly meetings of the young people will be held in the hall.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, J. Ewart, treasurer, George Cameron, secretary, Jean Curtis, organist, Jean Archibald, assistant organist, Miss D. Geer.

Coming Events

(Coming Events notices cost little, a cent a word per week, minimum charge 25 cents a week.)

Friday, March 14—Reserve this date and come to the L.O.B.A. dance at Belhaven hall. Max Boag's orchestra. There will be several good prizes given away during the evening. 1w6

Friday, March 14—There will be a St. Patrick's tea and talent sale at the Christian church from 3 to 6 p.m., under the auspices of the Good Cheer Class. c1w6

Tuesday, March 18—St. Patrick's tea in aid of the Red Shield at the Salvation Army from 2.30 to 5.30. Tea 15c. c2w5

Thursday, Friday, March 20, 21—Red Cross revue, in town hall, under the direction of Mrs. A. N. Belugin. tfw3

Friday, March 21—Come to the Spring Tea and sale of home baking at the parish hall from 3 to 6, in aid of St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary. c2w6

Thurs., Fri., Sat., March 27, 28 and 29—Pickering College Glee Club presents H.M.S. Pinafore. Apply now for tickets to Miss Richardson, Pickering College. Thursday, admission 35 cents. Friday, Saturday, 50 cents. c1w6

Friday, March 28 — Queensville Red Cross dance in Belhaven hall. Art West's orchestra. c1w6

Thursday and Friday, April 3 and 4—"Open nights" at Newmarket high school. Doors open at 7.30 p.m. for inspection of students' work and projects. Gymnasium classes, including a machine-gun demonstration, will start about 7.45 p.m. and continue till 9 p.m. A musical pageant will then be given in the auditorium by the Glee club assisted by a 16-piece orchestra. Admission 35c, including reserved seat in the auditorium. Seats in the gymnasium will not be reserved. (Plan for each night will open at Patterson's drug store on Friday, March 28.) c1w6

Wednesday, April 16—Easter "Red Cross" dance in the high school auditorium. Lucky number prizes. Max Boag's orchestra. Please reserve date. 1f6

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THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1941

TWO DAYS AT CANADA'S CAPITAL

No editorials, no "wiseacring" this week. We are going to take a little holiday and just report to our readers a little of what we saw and heard at Ottawa last Thursday and Friday. It was nearly eleven when we finally got away Wednesday evening, to catch the 12.15 for Ottawa at the Union station, Toronto. We had given as much help as we could towards getting the week's Era out and in the rush made a couple of errors which have since been called good-naturedly to our attention.

We were tired when we got to the station and we promised ourselves the extravagance of a lower berth this time instead of the usual upper. We had made no reservation, however, and there was not a lower to be obtained, in spite of the fact that the train was proceeding to Ottawa in two sections, in other words, two trains. On the way back, Friday night, the train had been divided into four sections, or four trains. Parliament was adjourning for the weekend and no doubt that contributed to the traffic, but there is a continuous pilgrimage to Ottawa in these days of war.

We had made a reservation at the Chateau Laurier a month ahead but we had to wait until 6 p.m. for a room. Others had to do the same thing. There was talk of a new hotel about to be built in Ottawa to relieve the pressure on the Chateau.

THE P.M.G.

In Ottawa to attend the two-day executive sessions of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, we thought we should first contact the postmaster-general and say a word of greeting. We wrote a little note to Col. Mulock and handed it in at the mail desk. To our surprise the mail clerk did not put the letter in Col. Mulock's box but stood waiting with the letter in her hand. We turned around to find the answer and there was North York's member of parliament chatting with friends. So we were able to say hello in person, and he told us something of the postmasters' association meeting which had just concluded in Ottawa. On behalf of the postmasters, Col. Mulock had the previous day presented the prime minister with a substantial sum in cancelled war savings stamps as a contribution to the country's war effort.

Col. Mulock was then on his way to his office. He would spend from 9 to 10 on correspondence, from 10 to 11 with department officials and visitors and from 11 until an unspecified time in cabinet. This turned out, that particular day, to be until 2.15 p.m., we later learned from another friend, Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, minister of national defence for war services. At 3 p.m. the ministers had to be in the house. When did you have your lunch hour, we asked Mr. Macdonald, thinking maybe the cabinet enjoyed a "box lunch." "Between 2.15 and 3," we were told.

The ministers continued in the house, except for the dinner recess of 6 to 8 p.m., until 11 p.m. We managed to get up to the house at about a quarter to eleven and we noticed that both Col. Mulock and Mr. Macdonald were among the ministers on the job that night until the carrying out of the mace by the sergeant-at-arms.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS

Two days close attention to business, at a board attended by something over 20 weekly newspaper men from Nova Scotia to British Columbia, were relieved by two interesting luncheons and two interesting dinners. Let's put in a word here that the Chateau meals are "tops," but the memory of personalities remains long after food is forgotten. Luncheon the first day was most informal, with only one guest present, the laissez-faire R. J. Deachman, M.P. for North Huron, who told us the woes of the farmer and said that no man was qualified to sit in parliament or cabinet or to be prime minister unless he had as a boy gone in the early dawn of a cold October morning to bring the cows from the pasture and had stood to warm his feet for a few minutes where the cows had lain, or had had to turn the grindstone when he wanted to go fishing, or had had to hoe potatoes when he wanted to go out with his best girl.

At dinner that night our group were the guests of Herbert Lash, director of public information. We had as guest speakers Hon. James Gardiner, minister of agriculture and minister of war services, Hon. A. L. Macdonald, navy minister, and Mr. Gardiner's two deputies in the war services department, Major-General L. R. LaFleche, who is in charge of compulsory militia training, and Mr. Justice Davis of Saskatchewan, who has been in charge of national registration.

A WESTERNER BORN

The writer had the honor of sitting between Mr. Justice Davis and George Hambleton, whose name was familiar to the Canadian public for many years as London correspondent of the Canadian Press. Mr. Hambleton is now in charge of war publicity for weekly newspapers. We were conscious that we had just read something interesting about Mr. Justice Davis but couldn't remember what it was. However, he was friendly and we soon wormed it out of him. Hadn't we read that he was a possible for the leadership of the Conservative party? we stabbed. Not the Conservative party, he countered. Then we remembered. It was the Saskatchewan Liberal party. We had read that he might give up his Ottawa responsibilities and resign from the Saskatchewan bench to take over the premiership of Saskatchewan, with the present premier, W. J. Patterson, joining a reorganized Ottawa cabinet.

That reminds us that our host looked like our own Newmarket W. J. Patterson. More than that, Mr. Lash spoke almost exactly as Newmarket's Mr. Patterson speaks, with the same voice, the same twinkle and the same conciliating, friendly style of debate which we have often heard Mr. Patterson use in church councils. There was a striking resemblance, and we are sure that if Mr. Lash ever visits Newmarket, people will be "Patting" him all along Main St.

Returning to Mr. Justice Davis, we were surprised to find that he was a westerner born. Most of the leaders of western Canada have been born in Ontario, the Maritimes or the old country. His father was a freighter, carrying supplies to fur-traders west from Winnipeg.

WORKING HARD FOR CANADA

Without trying to tell what the four speakers of the evening had to say, we will say that we gathered the impression that these men at Ottawa are working seriously, earnestly, intelligently, to prosecute the war, and that they are more war-conscious than most of us who from time to time presume to criticize them. One point from Mr. Macdonald's remarks we will pass on, that the uniformed men of the Canadian navy are praising the conduct of the ununiformed men of the Canadian merchant marine. The latter are, he said, the unsung heroes of the war. They have all the dangers of war but they get none of the glory, appearing on shore in unobtrusive "civvies" after arduous and dangerous service on the seas.

IN THE HOUSE

Mr. Gardiner and Mr. Macdonald broke away at 8 o'clock to go to parliament. When we got away two and a half hours later from a round-table discussion of the government's news services, we headed in the same direction. The house was in committee, with the mace on the floor. Mr. Gardiner had just told the house what he thought of certain newspapers and was telling how the national registration of last year would help industrialists find men of the qualifications they required.

A Conservative asked Mr. Gardiner if in his opinion the national registration made the census unnecessary. He replied that he preferred to leave that to the minister under whom the census came.

AN INTERESTING PARLIAMENTARIAN

We saw a friend in the public gallery and sat down beside him. It was Senator Gustave Lacasse, a physician and publisher of a French-language newspaper at Tecumseh, in the Windsor district. When the house adjourned at 11, Senator Lacasse took us to his room above the senate chamber and told us about his 11 children (he believes in large families and practises what he preaches), how he came to be appointed a senator, about his newspaper (which he edits and has printed in Ottawa and ships to Windsor), about his work to create greater French-English and English-French understanding, and about a new French-language war song which he had just that day copyrighted. He also gave us a little lesson in French and tried to brush us up on our scant knowledge of that delightful language.

A LOT OF MONEY

At lunch the next day we heard from Dr. Clark, the deputy-minister of finance, who talked about the billion and a half dollars which Ottawa is spending this year. We also had a few words from Mr. Mainwaring, a Vancouver business man serving at Ottawa on the national war savings committee, and several officials of the Bank of Canada and the foreign exchange control board. At the writer's left was a young member of parliament, only 40 years of age, representing the Quebec riding of Argenteuil, for so many years represented by Sir George Perley.

One of the guests, Ross Brown, who toiled in the financial department of the Montreal Star ten years ago when we too worked for Baron Atholstan, took our entire party through the war savings office and the Bank of Canada after we had finished our afternoon business session.

WAR SAVINGS MAGIC

In the war savings production plant we saw a number of pretty girls operating some even prettier machines. The machines first punched cards, similar in principle to a player piano sheet. Three cards controlled the imprinting of one war savings certificate. The war savings certificates were passing through the printing machines in a roll. One machine was busy imprinting $100 certificates, one was imprinting $10 certificates, and one was imprinting $5 certificates. The machines could be switched to any denomination and were kept going three shifts a day. The machines were uncanny.

Another machine was opening envelopes and tucking into each first a piece of advertising and then a war savings certificate. We wondered how the certificate coincided with the right envelope, but a window envelope solved that problem.

One of our party told how indignant someone in his town had been that the government was so extravagant as to mail certificates to several members of the same family in several envelopes when one envelope could have been used. It seemed a legitimate criticism until one saw the machine doing the mailing.

In another department we saw smart new desks and filing equipment which we were pretty sure had come from the Office Specialty Manufacturing Co., Newmarket. Again in the Bank of Canada next door we saw more equipment which probably originated in Newmarket.

A LOT OF GOLD

It was in the Bank of Canada that we gasped for air, in spite of the air-conditioning. It was in the basement vault that it happened. Our escort took us into the vault and there behind bars was more gold than King Midas ever saw. It was piled in bricks, a little smaller than ordinary bricks (each brick contains 1,600 fine ounces of gold), in a pile from four to six feet high, several feet deep and extending for 20 or 30 feet and perhaps farther, out of sight.

The gold belonged to the foreign exchange control board. We asked our escort if that was the gold behind our dollar bills and he reminded us that there was no gold behind our Canadian paper money. One of our party made some rapid mental calculations and guessed that we had seen $150,000,000 in gold, but if we dared guess we wouldn't stop at a mere $150,000,000.

Returning to the hotel we had as our guest speaker Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of munitions and supply, who for the first time publicly told his story of the torpedoing of his ship in the Atlantic and of the hardships undergone before reaching England's comparatively safe and pleasant shores. Among other guests were Arthur Slaght, M.P. for Parry Sound, Gordon Graydon, M.P. for Peel, Senator Lacasse and A. D. McBain, a Bank of Nova Scotia official on loan to the foreign exchange control board, who sat at the writer's right and proved an interesting dinner companion. These men all spoke briefly after Mr. Howe.

TORPEDOED

Mr. Howe said that his popularity of a few weeks ago had seemingly fled, no doubt due to faults of his own, but that he expected that in due time he would again come into public favor. After telling what Mr. Slaght described as an "epic," the story of being torpedoed at sea, Mr. Howe told something of his department's work. He said that he had 50 of "the cream" of Canada's business executives at work in his department. He also said that with the spending of such huge sums, and with all the criticism, there had not been a suggestion of scandal.

We were more interested in Mr. Howe's shipwreck story, how he forgot to take the heavy coat from his cabin that he had specially carried in case of torpedoing, how the captain stayed and went down with the ship, how the German submarine came to the surface near his lifeboat but paid no attention to it, the long hours spent at the oars trying to keep the lifeboat straight on a stormy ocean, the sighting of a freighter, the difficult task of getting aboard the rescue ship, the cramped quarters and hardships aboard the rescue ship, dodging more submarines, and final arrival in Britain.

That night we took the train for Toronto. We said good-night to some friends and left the observation car some time after midnight. Just after we had gone, our friends told us the following morning, Prime Minister Mackenzie King arrived in the car, on his way to Toronto, where he paid a visit on Saturday to Sir William Mulock, Newmarket's distinguished "old boy" and said farewell on Sunday to Leighton McCarthy, Canada's new minister to Washington.

A NEWMARKET MAN

Before we wind up this long story of a short visit to the capital, we should mention that one of our board members was Cameron McIntosh, former member for North Battleford, Sask., but dislodged at the last election by Mrs. Dorise Nielsen. Mrs. Nielsen was under fire while we were in Ottawa, but we set out to say that Mr. McIntosh told us that "Ernie" Marshall, who had come to North Battleford about 1905 from Newmarket, had made a fortune there in the theatre business and was now living at the coast, having turned his business over to his son.



THE CHUMS IDENTIFY A SPRING SONG

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"I've been out Robin-hunting," announced Young Chips, the Chickadee, as he returned to the big elm on the corner of Park and Lorne Aves.

"What luck?" inquired Nutty Nuthatch eagerly. "Surely you saw one today. It's so much milder and so sunny."

"No luck at all," said Young Chips. "Mind you, I'm not saying there isn't a Robin in town, but I certainly didn't run into one if there is. I didn't even hear a Killdeer calling or see a glimpse of a Bluebird. I'm terribly disappointed. I had hoped that I would be the first one to spread the glad Robin news, but I guess it's going to come from someone else, not me."

"Mercy, you sound terribly downhearted," said Nutty. "Buck up! They're bound to be here soon, and what does it matter who sees them first as long as someone does. Listen! I hear something interesting right now."

"A Robin?" asked the Chickadee in great excitement.

"No, listen, can't you!" said the Nuthatch. "Your ears are as accurate as mine."

The Chickadee took the hint and listened, and heard a slow, melodious carol.

"Oh, a Meadowlark, sure enough, and the first, too," he said. "How perfectly grand to have him back! Let's go and find him at once, and see how he is. He must be down in the fields at the end of Park Ave."

The two small birds flew eagerly in the Meadowlark's direction and in short order located the newcomer, poised momentarily on a fencepost. They quickly hailed him.

"Oh, hi," replied the plump Lark cordially. "How have you two fared this winter? Has it been a hard season?"

"Not too bad at all," replied Nutty. "Lots of sunshine lately. We've been looking for you spring messengers for the last few days. What kind of a trip did you have?"

"How did you enjoy the south?" asked Young Chips.

"Are the others, the Robins and the Bluebirds, coming soon?" Nutty asked, without giving the Meadowlark a chance to reply to the other questions.

"Hey, wait a minute," protested the Lark. "I can't answer all those at once. We had a fairly satisfactory winter and the trip up wasn't too bad, but I certainly hope I haven't come too soon and that there won't be more blizzards and wintry days. The other spring birds were coming along part way with me, but I guess some of them slowed up when they got into Canada. They'll be along soon, never fear."

"Are you early or late this year, Mr. Meadowlark, compared with your usual time?" inquired the Chickadee.

"I'm just about average this year," was the reply. "Occasionally we come as early as the third or fourth of March, and sometimes we don't come until a couple of weeks after that."

"There are a lot of our friends, the Starlings, appearing these days," Young Chips commented to Nutty, when they had left the Meadowlark to his spring song again and gone back into the town a little way.

"Yes, they seem to be pouring into town," agreed Nutty. "In fact, I thought I heard a Bluebird this morning, but it was only a Starling being smart. It's indecent that they are able to imitate such a cultured person as a Bluebird."

"I wish we could carry on a campaign this spring so that all the town cats would believe that there are more food values and vitamins in young Starlings and English Sparrows than there are in any of the other young birds," said Young Chips dreamily.

"You might have a constructive suggestion there," said the Nuthatch. "Surely we could make use of propaganda in some way. I think it's worth calling a meeting anyway, don't you?"

"Well, they both certainly ought to have more vitamin B, if it stands for Bully," Young Chips retorted, as he flew away in search of Merry.

... and Men

Germany now has 100,000 men and 1,000 tanks in Libya, in addition to dive bombers, according to reports reaching Washington last week. It is believed the Germans have found a route, free from British interference, through islands of the central Mediterranean.

Eighteen Dutchmen were condemned to death by German court-martial after a seven-day trial on espionage and sabotage charges. It was stated that the accused had engaged in acts of sabotage and terrorism against the German army and the army supply service. This included such things as serving poisoned cocktails to German officers.

The British Middle East command announced Thursday that British mechanized forces had driven off German motorized detachments west of El Agheil, in Libya.

Gutzon Borglum, famed sculptor, died in Chicago last week, leaving to his son, Lincoln, the task of completing the most renowned of his creations—the Mount Rushmore Memorial. This project—the gigantic faces of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt carved in the granite side of a mountain in South Dakota—covers an acre and a half of the mountainside.

Turkey's cabinet members, it was learned last week, declined an invitation by Ambassador Franz von Papen to attend a showing of the German war film, "Victory in the West." This film depicts the highlights of Germany's victory over France last summer. Similar films of the Polish defeat were shown in Oslo and Copenhagen before the Germans marched into Denmark and Norway.

Wing Commander Ernest McNab, famed Canadian airman of the present war, arrived at an east coast Canadian port on Sunday. McNab, a D.F.C. winner, said that Germany hasn't a chance of success in invading England.

An Italian sea-raider disguised as a British ship has been sunk by a New Zealand cruiser in the Indian ocean, the British admiralty announced Sunday. The Italian ship was powerfully armed and was believed to have started a campaign of preying upon British merchantmen.

Capt. Phil Seagram of Toronto and Lieut. J. D. Wright of Sarnia were among those killed when, during the height of a German air-raid Saturday night, a high explosive bomb threw destruction in the midst of dancers in the crowded Cafe de Paris in London. Nursing Sister H. M. Stevens, of Dunnville, Ont., was hailed as a heroine for her work in aiding the injured.

President Roosevelt has placed his signature on the lease-lend bill to aid Britain. It is expected that big bombers will be the first item in the avalanche of aid to Britain.

The French government served notice Monday that it would use its fleet if necessary in preventing the British navy from blockading France. "I will let nothing stand in the way of the French people's eating," declared Admiral Jean Darlan, vice-premier and foreign minister.

Russia has assured Turkey that she will not attack the Turks should they enter the war, it was reported Tuesday. Premier Molotoff gave this promise to the Turkish ambassador to Moscow, it was said.

Axis air losses are three to one in comparison to British losses for the last ten months, Sir Archibald Sinclair, air secretary, announced in the House of Commons on Tuesday.

George W. Rendel, recalled British minister to Bulgaria, narrowly escaped assassination Tuesday when two time bombs wrecked an Istanbul hotel in which he was staying. It was said that the bombs had been placed in the British official's luggage.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, March 10, 1916

Mrs. Fred Jones of Toronto was a visitor at the home of Mrs. D. Hamilton one day last week.

Miss Kerr of Listowel is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. S. J. Boyd.

Ex-alderman Wm. Dolan is back at work again, after being laid up a month with sickness.

Mrs. J. Franklin Harvey will receive with Mrs. C. G. Ross at "Rossmore" on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Blake of Toronto, a resident of Newmarket 30 years ago, was the guest of Mrs. Jos. Pipher a couple of days this week.

The management of the Toronto and York Radial Railway company has announced the electrification of the Schomberg and Aurora branch. This branch line has heretofore been operated by a steam locomotive.

During the noon hour on Monday, a horse belonging to Williamson's Dairy ran away, galloping down Park Ave., for home. The horse was stopped before any damage was done.

BORN—In Queensville, March 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bond, a son.

BORN—At Pine Orchard, March 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy VanLuven, a son.

BORN—In Newmarket, March 8, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Galbraith, a son.

MARRIED—At St. John's church, Newmarket, March 6, by Rev. Father Wedlock, Norman Forhan to Bertha Lalonde, all of Newmarket.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, March 13, 1891

Mr. Alex. Millard of Toronto was in town on Monday night.

Mr. Wm. Brimson of Toronto was in town over Sunday.

Mr. Frank Barker and family leave for Winnipeg next Tuesday.

Mrs. L. R. Smith is visiting Mrs. Ross in King for three weeks.

Mr. George Srigley returned last week from a visit with his sister in Owen Sound.

Mrs. Reuben Kennedy of Toronto is visiting Mrs. A. J. McCracken.

Mr. Ed. Quigley of Mount Albert left for Portland, Oregon, last Friday, by way of Vancouver, B.C.

Mayor E. Jackson is attending the convention of agricultural society representatives at Hamilton this week.

The choir of the Presbyterian church and a few friends were the guests of Mrs. Wm. Ramale last Friday night and spent a most enjoyable time.

The rental of telephones in Newmarket has been reduced to $20 for a year's lease and $15 per year for a three years' lease.

DIED—In town, March 11, Ida, wife of John Mosley. Interment Aurora cemetery.

The Common Round

BOOKS LEND COLOR

By Isabel Inglis Colville

Have you ever stopped to think what a wilderness this world would be, if there came a Pied Piper who could summon all the books in the world to follow him, and leave us to face a bookless world? From childhood up, books help to guide our lives and the kind of books we start off with, mould to a great extent, our tastes and opinions, and often our choice of a vocation.

"If you had a fairy godmother and she gave you three wishes, what would they be?" an aunt asked me just before Christmas one year.

I'm sure she must have been a bit stunned at my modest (?) reply, for "I'd like a house where every room was filled with books from the floor up, and ten cats and to go to Venice and sail on the Grand Canal in a gondola," I told her.

Well, it wasn't in her power to act the part of a fairy godmother, but she did something I've been grateful for ever since: she gave me Longfellow's poems and each year thereafter for many years, she contributed to my shelf of poets and I have all the books yet. I don't read poetry as much now as I used to—I haven't time, but bits of the verses that I loved and learned off by heart come back just when I need them, just as verses of the Psalms and bits of collects come back in time of trouble or need.

Books open the whole world to us. None of us need be shut-ins—our spirits are free as air to travel from one end of the world to the other with some favorite hero or heroine.

Just lately I've been travelling through France and Italy via a book by A. N. and A. M. Williamson. One travelled the highways and byways, sampled the food, bargained for antiques and spent hours in the old churches and cathedrals, and from it all came back, refreshed by a brief visit to other lands and a meeting with other peoples.

One wonders when it will be possible to make such a trip in reality—much of France will be sadly devastated for years and Italy has wandered far from peaceful paths.

From books, too, one gains an insight into the lives of all kinds of people. The lives of great singers, great authors, great artists and great writers, tell intriguing tales of fights against fearful odds before any of them reached fame, and to some of them that was denied; only coming after their deaths and too late to give them the reward of recognition, appreciation and a living, to which their achievements in their art, entitled them.

I think four things we learn from the lives of all those who have fought their way to the top—courage, persistence, and patience, with a profound faith in their ability to reach the heights—to "leave behind them, footprints in the sands of time."

There is a book I've read and re-read "Karen" by Mrs. Sedgewick; it gives a real glimpse into the German homes of 1912, a glimpse of how the Prussian hatred of England was brewing then, and of Germany in the last war. It is told by an Englishwoman who married a German and reading her story and the story of some of those who have escaped from there in the present war, one sees that history repeats itself and that excuse them as we will, there must be an underlying strata of cruelty in the German people, which needs very little encouragement to become sadistic.

At the outbreak of this war we blamed everything—Hitler, the Versailles Treaty, the failure of the League of Nations—everything but the German people.

All these are contributing factors, especially Hitler, but nothing that has happened COULD have happened without the consent of the majority of the people.

I suppose the vision of a power supreme in the world is a dazzling vision to any people or person—even Lucifer aspired to something higher than his angelhood—and was cast out of heaven. So I suppose to all who seek more power than should belong to man, and having it, use it to degrade instead of to uplift, there must come a casting down.

Yes, we get to understand peoples and nations and countries and individuals by books. From the simplest to the most complex, there's a pearl hidden somewhere which, if we read with intention, we can find for ourselves.

There have been books that have cast a blight over their readers, and there will always be books that were better banned from our libraries, but they are few compared to the wealth of friends and comfort and consolation and aid that books can give; they can lend color to the drabbest lives and like a magic carpet transport us to where we long to be.

TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Era: I thank God for the message given in the last issue of The Era by Rev. A. Greer. Would to God we had a few more preachers who stand behind the sacred desk who would preach likewise.

We have many preachers today who are desirous to tell folk how good they are, those who would go as far as to tell their congregation a drink of liquor once in a while will do them no harm and furthermore those preachers who take folk in on a church membership roll and tell them to live as good as they can. All I can add is God help such a preacher. He has never experienced that "born again" spirit within his own heart. He may be educated to the highest degree, yet not have a message for a people hungry for the gospel. He has a social gospel, something that pleases his congregation, that he, the preacher, might in return receive his salary.

Our prayers go out to a living God that the Lord will richly bless Rev. A. Greer and continue to give him strength and courage to ever preach the gospel and that through his ministry the Holy Spirit will convict of sin and precious souls will be born again into the Kingdom of God and to God we will give all praise and glory. "If we say that we have no sin we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." I John 1:8, 9.

Mrs. Welly Stevens,
Sharon.

Over 5,000 people read The Era every week.



POLICE COURT

Attorney-General Asks Liquor Charge Dropped

Hitting a pole on Main St., Newmarket, while attempting to park his car in front of Stanley's Grill, Ben Cox, Newmarket, drew the attention of Constable Kenneth Mount to the fact that he had liquor in his car.

Mr. Cox pleaded guilty to the charge of illegal possession of liquor in police court here on Tuesday and Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe fined him $10 and costs or ten days.

"On Sunday, March 2, at 1.55 a.m., the accused parked his car on Main St. in front of Stanley's Grill," testified Constable Mount. "On parking, I heard his car hit a pole. No damage was done to the pole. I investigated and found a bottle of liquor, partly consumed, in the car."

"Was he drunk?" questioned Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C.

"I wouldn't say that he was drunk," answered the officer.

"How much of the bottle was consumed?"

"I would say about two ounces. But the accused told me that he had some beer in Bradford previously."

Magistrate Woodliffe ordered that the liquor be confiscated.

An 18-year-old Aurora youth pleaded guilty to two charges of theft, one of stealing a scarf valued at $1.50 and $5 from the till of H. E. Gilroy, owner of a men's furnishing store, Newmarket, and of stealing a .22 calibre rifle, the property of Major Gordon Collison, Aurora.

In his testimony Mr. Gilroy stated: "On March 10, shortly after 9 p.m. a customer came in to try on a suit of clothes. This chap was with him. I was busy with the customer and went into the fitting-room. We are not accustomed to be open that late and I had been checking up the cash, so the register was open. As I came out of the fitting-room I heard the accused say, 'I'll meet you at the hamburger.'"

Mr. Gilroy said that he thought there was something queer, so he went over to the till and checked the money in it. He said that he found five dollars missing. Mr. Gilroy stated that the customer did not know the defendant and had picked him up before coming into the store. Mr. Gilroy and the customer went to the hamburger, where they found the youth standing outside.

"I asked him to come back to the store and told him why I wanted him to do so," the witness continued. "He said he did not take the money." Mr. Gilroy stated that when he threatened to call the police the defendant owned up to taking the money.

"I then asked hm where he got the scarf he had on him and he said that he bought it in Toronto. I asked him if I could look at it and he said 'yes.' I noticed my pin ticket in the corner. In Toronto they use stickers."

The witness said that the youth then admitted also taking the scarf from a shelf in the store.

"I told him to get out of the store, but he took his time," Mr. Gilroy said. "I grabbed him by the collar. He swung at me and I hit him. I called the police and Mr. Mount picked him up later."

The youth and a brother, age 20, both pleaded guilty to the theft of a rifle from Major Collison's garage.

"The whole story came out of the inquest into the fatal shooting of Ted Comer," testified Sergeant-Detective Sidney Barraclough, of the York county police. "On Jan. 18, while investigating the shooting accident where a lad was killed in Aurora, I questioned the boys connected with the shooting. The boy who was shot had a .22 calibre rifle in his hand. After questioning one lad, who was a juvenile, I learned that the two brothers got the rifle from Major Collison's garage.

"One admitted picking it up and the other admitted that he carried it away. Both boys have been truthful about taking the rifle. The both of them have jobs and neither had been in trouble before this. The rifle is not of any great value, nevertheless it can shoot."

"Have you anything to say for yourselves?" Magistrate Woodliffe asked the boys. They replied that they had nothing to say.

"Do your parents know you are here?" "No, sir."

Mr. Mathews explained that the youths were not living at home.

"I am giving you one chance," the magistrate said to the older boy. "Mind you, a conviction is registered against you," said his worship. "I am giving you suspended sentence. Remember it won't be so easy if you ever appear here again. I am giving you a suspended sentence of three months. You are to report to police once a month."

"We didn't know we were stealing the rifle," stated the other boy. "It was standing outside the door."

"You knew perfectly well that you were stealing," said the magistrate. "If it was valuable to you it is valuable to the man who owns it. Why didn't you leave it alone? It may be that a week or two in jail would do you good. However, I am taking into consideration that your family life has not been what it should have been. I am being lenient with you. Remember there are two convictions registered against you. I am putting you on probation for one year. If you are brought back here again I'll sentence you on both these charges."

Magistrate Woodliffe ordered that the rifle be returned to Major Collison.

On receipt of a letter from the attorney-general, a charge of selling liquor against Mrs. Margaret Smith, Newmarket, was withdrawn. Mrs. Smith, who had been physically unable to appear in court, had at a previous hearing been fined $200 and costs for illegal possession of liquor.

"Under the circumstances laid down in the letter and in view of the fact that she was penalized rather severely on the other charge, I am allowing the charge of selling liquor to be withdrawn," stated his worship.

The charge against Samuel MacMillan, Toronto, of forging a dominion pay cheque and of cashing it at the Bank of Toronto in Newmarket, was adjourned until March 18. Mr. MacMillan is out on $2,000 bail.

James Ralston, Toronto, charged with breaking and entering Cousins' dairy, Aurora, will answer the charge next week. He is in custody.

HOPE

FINGER IS AMPUTATED FOLLOWING ACCIDENT

Mrs. D. Stickwood visited Miss Amy Gibson on Thursday.

Mrs. O. Stickwood spent Thursday with Mrs. Garnet Fairbarn, Sharon.

Albert Miller, who is employed at Stanley Boyd's, had the misfortune to get his hand in the root pulper, cutting one finger so badly that it had to be amputated.

Miss Lawrence, teacher at the 4th line school, is at home ill with measles. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Messrs. M. L. Pegg, S. Stickwood, O. Stickwood and R. Stickwood attended a lodge meeting at Cookstown on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Stickwood and family had tea on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr, Mount Albert.

Mrs. S. Stickwood and Mrs. S. Boyd spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Roy Carr, Mount Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. McClellan are moving to Newmarket for the remainder of the winter, as Mr. McClellan has been ill, with a heart condition. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Howard Pegg and Clemens visited Mrs. E. Pegg on Monday.

Miss Hilda Pegg, Newmarket, and Mr. Max Fairbarn, Sharon, spent Wednesday evening at the Fairbarn home.

Mr. William Fairbarn and Miss Maud Fairbarn visited their sister, Mrs. Frank Pegg, Bradford, on Sunday.

Mrs. George Broderick, entertained at dinner on Thursday Miss Lottie Tansley, Mrs. E. Pegg, Mrs. M. L. Pegg, Mrs. Auley Brenair, Mrs. A. Dike, Mrs. L. Herdman, Miss Maud Fairbarn, Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. Robert Stickwood.

Mr. Wm. Fairbarn and Miss Maud Fairbarn visited Mr. and Mrs. L. Herdman on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dike visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry West on Sunday.

Mrs. Lorne Ganton spent Saturday in Toronto.

The church service will be held on Sunday at 3 p.m. with Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome at both services.

Sharon

Miss Alice Ramsay of Downsview spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Misses Lorna Weddel of Edgeley and Phyllis Kitely of Toronto spent the weekend at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ross of Strange and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCallum of Laskay visited at the home of Miss Nora Shaw on Sunday.

The service at the United church on Sunday will be held at 7 p.m. and Sunday-school at 10 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay visited Mrs. Ramsay's parents at Downsview on Sunday.

Mr. R. J. Rogers returned on Friday after a business trip to the coast.

There will be another Red Cross euchre at Sharon hall in the near future, when the lucky ticket for the quilt will be drawn.

STUDENT HAS HOT TIME IN N.H.S. EXAM ROOM

Jack Teasdale, first-year student of Newmarket high school, had a trying experience while writing a term examination last Friday. Matches in his back pocket, rubbing against a comb, became ignited and set fire to the comb and Jack's trousers.

Jack quickly vacated the school-room and headed, in a cloud of blue smoke, for the basement water supply, accompanied by two teachers who were trying to beat out the fire. A quick turn of the faucet was enough to douse the burning comb. Jack later returned to finish his paper.

Prime Minister Receives Gift to Government



Postmasters of Canada on Wednesday presented to the government of the Dominion $5,700 in cancelled war savings stamps. The presentation took place in the office of the Prime Minister and the stamps were given to Mr. King by Postmaster-General Mulock. In the above picture are, left to right: Hon. W. P. Mulock, postmaster-general; C. G. Griffith, Estevan, Sask., Dominion secretary; J. L. Jackson, Salmon Arm, Dominion president of the Dominion Postmasters Association; Arthur Church, Sundridge, vice-president; J. Ferris, Campbellford, secretary; Phillip Grenier, Neuville, Que., secretary, and Prime Minister King. • Photo by courtesy of The Ottawa Citizen.

BLACKOUT DRIVER NEEDS CAT'S EYES

Mr. and Mrs. David Love, Queensville, have received the following letter from Mr. Love's brother, John, who lives in Dumfermline, Scotland. It was written in December.

Dear Brother and Sister: Just a few lines in answer to your letter and card which I received yesterday. I did not think you had got my letter as I sent one to Jim along with yours and he never got his, so I was quite surprised to hear from you.

Jim sent me one about a fortnight ago. I think he was fed up waiting on one from me, but you see it was his turn to write. I didn't know the letter had gone down.

The war is getting lively now. We are fairly giving the Italians big-licks just now in Africa and the Greeks are doing very well in Albania. I only wish the Germans were getting the same dose. They are a troublesome lot, but we will get them and after we are finished with them I don't think they will be keen to stir up trouble for a long time. You were asking if I was in training. No, not yet. I registered last June with the 29 age group but I haven't heard anything so far. All bus drivers and heavy lorry drivers are supposed to be exempt over 25, but that can be altered. There is a big shuffle in the reserved jobs just now and the ages are being raised. Office workers and trades which are not important are going to give a lot of men. Then the mines are included in it, too. Before this the miners were completely reserved, but the collapse of France and the low countries lost them a lot of orders, causing idleness, so the government is going to call them up.

We are right in the middle of the blackout just now. I wish you could be here for a short time. I am sure I would get some laughs out of you. It is no joke, however, until you get accustomed to it and even then you have got to know the district well. Just imagine it. No street lamps, no lighted shop windows, no head lamps from cars or buses, just a dim light in front of them with no glare and no lights in the house windows. That is the blackout.

Let me tell you about the bus I drive. All the windows have blinds on them made of thick material. These are put down during blackout periods and fastened so that no light comes out. The tail-light is the size of a half-penny, that is, half an inch in diameter, and it must not glare, so two layers of tissue-paper are put inside it. It can be seen at 30 yards, no more. The side lamps are the same size and are even less bright than the tail-light. The head lamps are masked to give a diffused light, not a beam, and are focussed on the ground, giving the driver a good light at five yards, a dim light at 20 yards and just enough to let you know there is something ahead of you at 30 yards.

Never at any time can you distinguish anything at waist level and usually it is knee level. In case of fog we have powerful fog lamps fitted low down on the near side, front, of the bus. For this we were very grateful, but it must be foggy before we use them.

I was involved in a very bad smash two weeks ago at traffic lights in Kirkcaldy. The lights were in my favor and just as I was passing through a five-ton lorry came through the lights and completely smashed all the front of the bus. I have never seen a bus in such a mess. Seven passengers were injured and I escaped with a few cuts on my hand, bruises and glass in my eyes. The hospital soon fixed that. The lorry driver said the sun blinded him.

You are going to send us some butter? We have to take margarine in our butter ration just now. The margarine does for toast or cooking purposes and our butter ration does us if we are careful, but if it isn't too much bother to you it will be very acceptable. I was very sorry to hear Dave had to bring it back because it wasn't in tin boxes. Lizzie remarked to me that it was a shame bothering about us like that and, after all, we are not so badly off. Could be lot worse.

It's the price of some things that are the worry, but the staple things in life are controlled and easy to get and everybody gets their share and we aren't starving, not by an awful long chalk. It's a standing joke Lizzie's folks and I have against her. The cost of living is terrible, she says. But we get along fine and that is the main thing.

You don't think you will be able to hold Bruce much longer. I think that must be the man in him coming out. He really only wants to help you. Well, I think this is all so I will close. Remember us to the boys.

Happy New Year to you all.

A subscription to The Era will make a friend happy.

WAR SERVICES FUND DRIVE BEGINS MAR. 24

Because "folks back home" are eager to back up their boys in Canada's fighting forces, small communities and rural areas will play important roles in the $5,500,000 campaign of the Canadian War Services Fund, to be launched on March 24 from coast to coast. Proceeds will be shared by the Canadian Legion, I.O.D.E., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army, Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A., on a basis approved by the dominion government.

Even where there is no Y.M.C.A., Salvation Army, or post of the Canadian Legion, communities have declared themselves behind the drive, because the services help every Canadian soldier, sailor and airman, whether he is in Canada, in Iceland, or in Great Britain. Boys from the small towns and the farms are volunteering by the thousands and the "folks back home" will have a chance, from March 24 to April 7, to make sure that the men in uniform will continue to have home comforts and recreation.

Each province has its own set-up for campaign efforts in towns and villages, depending on density of population and the local situation. In Ontario, county organizations have been created. These, in turn, have authorized local bodies to take charge of the collection task. Wherever possible, a local branch of one of the war services concerned has taken over the job; I.O.D.E. chapters, posts of the Canadian Legion, or a unit of the Salvation Army. In other cases, service clubs, boards of trade, or Women's Institutes, for example, will conduct the canvass.

The national campaign chairman is Maj.-Gen. the Hon. A. D. McRae, of Vancouver. Vice-chairmen are F. K. Morrow, Toronto, and Brig.-Gen. Alex. Ross, Yorkton, Sask. Other members of the campaign committee are: Mrs. David Dunlap, Toronto; T. D'Arcy McGee, K.C., Ottawa; James Y. Murdoch, K.C., and Gordon F. Perry, Toronto.

Conny Smythe, Toronto sportsman, is provincial campaign chairman for Ontario.

With the active leadership of men of this calibre, campaign headquarters are confident that Canadians will put the $5,500,000 campaign "over the top."

LOCAL MARKET

Prices on the local market on Friday afternoon for eggs were 18 to 22 cents a dozen. Butter brought 35 cents a pound. Chickens were 25 to 27 cents a pound. Yearlings were 20 cents a pound.

Potatoes sold at 90 cents a bag and apples were 25 cents a six-quart basket.

TORONTO MARKETS

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 20 cents, grade A medium, 19 cents, and grade A pullets, 18 cents a dozen, on the Toronto markets on Tuesday.

Creamery solids, No. 1, were 35 cents a pound and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 36 cents a pound.

Prices to the shioper for poultry were: Ontario young turkeys, all weights, 24 to 25 cents; Ontario geese, A grade, 18 cents; spring broilers, 1 to 2½ pounds, 24 cents a pound; spring chickens, 2½ to 4½ pounds, 16 to 19 cents a pound; ducklings, over 5 pounds, 18 cents a pound.

Prices in the cattle section were: weighty steers, $8.25 to $9.25; butcher steers and heifers, $7.25 to $8.60; butcher cows, $5 to $7; fed calves, $9 to $10.25. Choice veal calves sold at $11 to $12.

Off-truck bacon hogs sold at $8.50.

Pledge for War Savings

"SALADA" TEA

KING PIONEER DIES AFTER TWO YEARS' ILLNESS

Ill two years, Robert McCutcheon died at the home of his son, Arthur McCutcheon, Schomberg, on March 1.

Born in King township on Dec. 25, 1857, the son of Eliza Simpson and Samuel McCutcheon of Nobleton, he was the youngest of a family of seven, who all predeceased him. He was a highly respected citizen of the community. Mr. McCutcheon farmed in King township. He married Margaret Brydon on Oct. 6, 1880, who predeceased him on Feb. 20, 1920.

Mr. McCutcheon was active in municipal affairs and served on the King municipal council from 1890 to 1896. He was a member of the Presbyterian church. After leaving the farm in 1912 he lived in Schomberg until the time of his accident, two years ago, when he suffered a broken hip, which resulted in his death. In politics he was a Liberal.

Surviving are one son, Arthur, two daughters, Ethel and Jennie (Mrs. R. Stewart), seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The pallbearers were Lorne Goodfellow, Leslie Holmes, Leslie Borden, Wm. Edwards, Herbert Carr and Cecil Watson.

The flower-bearers were Stanley Cain, Walter McCutcheon, Frank McCutcheon, Kenneth Holmes, Frederick Duggan and Hylson Brydon.

The funeral service was held from the home of his son on March 4. Rev. W. T. Cranston of Tottenham conducted the service. Interment was made in Schomberg cemetery.

Cedar Brae

The recent snow and high winds have blocked almost all the country roads.

Friends are sorry to hear that Messrs. Robert Kay and John Prout are on the sick list. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. Chesley Clark of Zephyr visited at the home of Mrs. Geo. Prout on Sunday.

Mr. Darius Sedore spent the weekend in Toronto.

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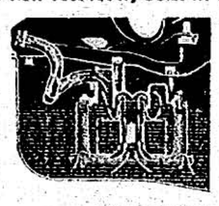
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For sale—1 electric refrigerator counter, 6-ft.; 1 electric slicer, 1 electric coffee grinder, 1 set scales. Write P.O. box 687, Newmarket, or phone Newmarket 574. c3w6

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For sale—1929 Ford roadster in good condition, $95. Apply 127 Prospect Ave. *1w6

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For sale—1 brooder-house, 12x50. Contains four pens. Priced to sell. Apply Irvine Rose, Queensville, Ont. c3w6

For sale—Quantity of feed oats. Apply James Cunningham, Queensville. *3w6

For sale—Miller Ideal Incubator. 240 eggs. In perfect condition. Also one brooder stove. Phone 1411. John Walker, Mount Albert. c1w6

For sale—Turnips and mangels. Phone 806, Harold Broderick, Mount Albert. c1w6

SEED OATS

For sale—Erbans, reg., 85c per bus., gov. standard, No. 1, 75c; Vanguards, reg., 90c per bus., gov. standard, No. 1, 80c. F.O.B. at farm. Apply Frank Marritt, Keswick. c1w6

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Red dual-purpose shorthorn bulls. Ready for service. Sired by St. Julian. Black gelding, H.D., 5 yrs., 1500 lbs. 14 store pigs. Apply to Arwood Harman, King, R.R. 3, Ont. c1w6

For sale—Fresh cow, 7 years old. Apply James Lunney, Lot 1, Con. 3, East Gwillimbury. *1w6

For sale—Sows, with pigs or without. Also a number of shoats, milch cows or springers. Apply Charlie Rye, Queensville, phone 601. *1w6

For sale—9 ewes, 1 ram. Apply G. Betolin, Ravenshoe, Ont. *1w6

For sale—1 good sound work horse. Good in all harness. In good condition and ready for work. Sorrel with white mane and tail. Apply H. Dunham, Yonge St., R.R. 2, Newmarket. *1w6

For sale—A number of cattle and pigs. Apply E. Blizzard, Eagle St., Newmarket. *1w6

For sale—Two black Percheron mares, ages five and seven. Also gray Percheron gelding, two years old. Broken in. Apply to Phil Hamilton, Orchard Beach. *3w4

For sale—Horse. Good worker in single or double harness. Apply George Dew, Holland Landing. *3w4

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WANTED TO BUY

Wanted—Old horses alive. Dead horses and cattle. Phone Queensville 2931 for a fair price. L. B. Pollock, Queensville, Ont. *4w4

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Help wanted—Married man, Non-smoker. Good milker. Apply Bob Lewis, R.R. 2, Newmarket, or telephone 202w3. c2w5

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LOST

Lost—Yellow change purse containing money and jewelry. Reward. Apply Mrs. Stanley Janes, Huron St., Newmarket. Phone 161-w-4. *1w6

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, March 15—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of Harold Miller, lot 68, con. 1, Whitchurch, Yonge St., south of CFRB, the old Thomas farm. Terms cash. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp, S.T. Gordon Phillips, auctioneer. *1w6

Saturday, March 15—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay, grain, etc., the property of Harry W. Sutton, lots 33 and 34, con. 4, Whitchurch, ½ mile south of Newmarket town line. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp, D.S.T. Terms cash. Six months credit to responsible parties. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. W. O. Carruthers, and J. Hopkinson, clerks. *2w5

Monday, March 17—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay, grain, fowl, etc., the property of Mrs. Theresa Edgar, lot 33, west half Con. 8, King Township, highway 27. Sale at 1 o'clock, S. T. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. No reserve as farm has been sold. c2w5

Wednesday, March 19—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, grain and furniture, the property of Arthur Storey, Lot 21, Con. 3, King Twp. (Snowball). Sale at 1 o'clock, D.S.T. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. *2w5

Thursday, March 20—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., on lot 34, con. 1, Scott township, 1½ miles east of Brownhill, the property of W. Calder. Sale at 1.30 S.T. Terms cash. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer. No reserve as owner is giving up farming. c2w5

Friday, March 21—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property belonging to the late Joseph Buckle, lot 85, con. 1, Whitchurch. Terms cash. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp, S.T. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. *2w6

Friday, March 21—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Milton G. Morton, on the east half of Lot 22, Con. 6, East Gwillimbury (2½ miles north of Holt, on the 7th concession). Everything must be sold as owner has enlisted. Sale at 1 p.m. S.T. Terms cash. Frank Kavanagh, auctioneer. *2w6

Monday, March 24—Mortgage sale of property in the township of East Gwillimbury, county of York, of the following property, namely, the east half of lot 11 in the 6th concession of East Gwillimbury, containing 100 acres more or less, known as the John Hogg farm. On this property there is said to be a large frame house, frame bank barn, with good stabling. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Alva Jones, Brownhill, Ont., or to G. S. Whitney, notary public, etc., Sutton West, Ont. F N. Smith, auctioneer. Sale at 1 o'clock S.T. at the premises. *2w6

Wednesday, March 26—Auction sale of purebred accredited herd of Holstein cattle, horses, implements, hay, grain, etc., the property of Chas. H. Rose, Lot 31, Con. 6, Whitchurch township (Cedar Valley). These cattle have been blood-tested and T.B. tested and have been found free from disease in both tests. Sale at 1 p.m. S.T. Terms cash. R. W. Andrew and L. S. Mount, clerks. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w6

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the estate of William Henry Watson, late of the township of East Gwillimbury, in the county of York, retired farmer, deceased.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the City of Toronto, on the seventeenth day of July, A.D. 1940, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the eighth day of April, 1941, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 4th day of March, A.D. 1941.

Mathews, Lyons & Vale,
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Solicitors for Rhoda Watson,
Administratrix. *3w5

BRIGADE DEALS QUICKLY WITH CHIMNEY FIRE

A fire which broke out in a chimney of the residence of Fleming Young, Raglan St., on Saturday afternoon, was quickly extinguished by the fire brigade.

Firemen had to hack out shingles around the chimney in order to stop the blaze. Mr. Young is uncertain as to how the fire started. Little damage was done.

CHURCHES

CONGREGATIONAL-CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Pastor—REV. ARTHUR GREER
Sunday, March 16, 1941

11 a.m.—"I AM THE TRUTH." 2 in claims of Christ.

7 p.m.—Male quartet from Toronto Bible College will conduct the service.

Wednesday at 7.30 p.m., meet with us to study the Bible. We are meditating on the theme, "The Path to Calvary." These studies will continue through Lent.

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Sunday, March 16, 1941
Pastor: L. R. COUPLAND

11 a.m.—Special speaker: Andrew McKenzie, who is going as missionary to Africa.

2.30 p.m.—Sunday-school

6.45 p.m.—Song service.

7 p.m.—Gospel service: Mr. Coupland speaking on "STRANGE WRITINGS"

Guest singer at all services—Miss Esther Frogley of the Toronto Bible College.

A hearty welcome for all.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH
Sunday, March 16

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Newmarket, will celebrate its 107th anniversary on Sunday, March 16. In the absence of a local minister the special services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. N. A. McEachran of Toronto. Dr. McEachran is editor of Presbyterian Publications and is considered by many as the outstanding man in Presbyterian circles. So it is a great privilege to be able to present Dr. McEachran on this occasion.

Special music is being arranged by the choir for both morning and evening services, under the direction of Miss Kathleen Rutledge.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH
Preacher—DR. A. E. RUNNELLS
Sunday, March 16, 1941

11 a.m.—"SOME SAID IT THUNDERED, OTHERS SAID IT IS GOD"

7 p.m.—"FIDELTY ITS OWN REWARD"

The Fireside hour will follow the evening service. The senior choir will entertain. Soldiers and strangers are our guests.

Illtyd Harris, organist and choirmaster.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Lenten service. Dr. Runnells in charge.

BIRTHS

Campbell—At York county hospital, March 12, to Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell of Bradford, a son.

Flintoff—At York county hospital, March 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Flintoff, Elora, a daughter.

Foote—At York county hospital, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Foote, Newmarket, a daughter.

Fry—At York county hospital, March 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fry, Newmarket, a son (stillborn).

Howlitt—At Pleasantville, March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howlitt, a son.

Preston—At York county hospital, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Preston, Aurora, a son.

Purdy—At York county hospital, March 9, to Mr. and Mrs. John Purdy, Newmarket, a son.

DEATHS

Ferguson—At York county hospital, on Saturday, March 8, Isabella Lawson, wife of the late J. L. Ferguson, sister of J. S. and T. H. Lawson of King, and Mrs. E. Glass of Aurora.

The funeral service was held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Monday. Interment at King cemetery.

McNerney—At his late residence, Eversley, on Tuesday, March 11, Stephen, son of the late James and Margaret McNerney, in his 78th year.

The funeral service was held this morning. Interment St. John's cemetery, Newmarket.

Playter—At Toronto General Hospital, on Wednesday, March 12, Clarkson John Watson Playter, of Burlington, husband of Mildred Croxall, in his 27th year.

Resting at the funeral chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, Newmarket. Service in the chapel on Friday, March 14, at 2.30 (D.S.T.). Interment Pine Orchard cemetery.

Riddell—Passed away early Monday morning, March 10, at her home, 121 High Park Ave., Toronto, Eliza Kerr, widow of Robert Riddell, mother of Mrs. Margaret May Wait, Mrs. Harry M. Ford, Miss Elizabeth Jane, William Andrew, all of Toronto, and John Wellington of King.

The funeral service was held at the home on Wednesday. Interment King City cemetery, King.

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CARD OF THANKS

The brothers and sister of the late Mrs. J. T. Ferguson wish to extend their thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings received from their kind friends and neighbors during their recent bereavement.

J. S. Lawson, T. H. Lawson, Mrs. E. Glass.

In Memoriam

Harman—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Benjamin Harman, who passed away March 14, 1938, in his 77th year.

Calm and peaceful he is sleeping,
Sweetest rest that follows pain;
We who loved him sadly miss him,
But trust in God to meet again.

Lovingly remembered by his wife, daughters and son.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Miss Marjorie McCarnan of Toronto visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCarnan on Saturday.

—Gnr. Alden Emmerson of Petawawa was home over the weekend with his family.

—Mrs. F. T. Porritt of Gilford spent a couple of days this week with her sister, Mrs. B. McCarnan.

—Mr. Gregg Davis of Lefroy called on friends in town on Tuesday.

—Mr. Harold Porritt of Gilford spent a couple of days with his aunt, Mrs. B. McCarnan, this week.

—Among those attending the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. F. Weir of Agincourt last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Robinson, Mrs. John Maines and Mrs. Wm. Maines of Newmarket.

—Visitors at the home of Mrs. F. A. Dales, Millard Ave., on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dales, Mrs. J. R. Stone and Mrs. A. W. Tomlinson of Toronto, Mrs. L. R. Dales of Dunbarton, Miss Ruby Sheppard of Lansing, and Mrs. J. Sheppard of Newmarket.

—L. A. C. Aubrey Rowland of Brantford spent the weekend at his home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murphy of Mount Dennis and Miss Edna Murphy of Toronto spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy.

—Miss Catherine McCaffrey of Toronto and Cpl. Ernest McCaffrey of Camp Borden spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey.

—Mr. Ted Vollum and Miss Margaret Duncan of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Duncan's mother, Mrs. Frank Duncan.

—Miss G. Kidd of Orillia was a weekend guest of Miss Margaret Gilmour.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Law returned on Monday from a short trip to Philadelphia, where Mr. Law went on business and Mrs. Law was the guest of friends.

—Miss Mary Clark, R.N., of the Ontario hospital staff, Whitby, is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Henry Clark, at the home of Mrs. Stella Boyd.

—Mr. George Johns of Niagara-on-the-Lake, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns.

—Mrs. Robt. Pinder of Newtonbrook spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Stella Boyd, 38 Millard Ave.

—Rev. D. C. Soules, Toronto, Mrs. Fred West, Toronto, and Mr. Guy Soules, Toronto, were guests of Mr. Fleming Young last week.

—Mrs. R. W. Tedford of Montreal, Que., is spending a week in town with her mother, Mrs. R. Bunn.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Tinegate and children of Welland and Mr. Larry Thivierge of St. Catherines spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Thos. Sanderson, and Mr. Harold Sanderson.

Those who attended the Lions club grand ball in the drill-hall of the Newmarket military camp Friday night spent a very enjoyable evening of dancing and entertainment.

A gleaming floor, delightful music, fine entertainment and a tasty lunch combined in making it a well-spent evening. Part of the entertainment was provided by soldiers of the camp and the soldier-magician, Sergeant Chris. Gardner, was particularly good.

Among the many guests attending were Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. R. B. Harkness, Major B. H. Geary, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Jack King, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. George Whyle, Miss Geraldine Wainman, Mr. Bob Bothwell, Miss Mary Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caswell, Toronto, Miss Elsie McCarten, Mr. Jack Hamilton, Miss Doris Gilkes, Mr. Harold Goring, Lieut. and Mrs. Harold Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Racine.

Mrs. J. R. Stallard, Mrs. J. B. Waterhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stallard, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Binns, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Widdifield, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tilley of Mount Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz of Mount Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans of Sharon, Mrs. Ronald Perry, Mrs. Ivan Nelson of Lansing, Mr. Marshall Morton of Toronto, Mr. Gib Mantell of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Brammar, Dr. J. B. Bartholomew, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cunningham, Miss Joan Webb of Toronto, Lieut. R. D. Holloway, Lieut. C. R. Watt, Lieut. W. O. Kilbourn, Mrs. Thos. Inglis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Byers, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Georgas, Lieut. and Mrs. W. B. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cockburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bastedo, Lieut. R. C. M. Smythe, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Cock, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Case, Mrs. S. J. Boyd, Mr. Franklin Boyd, Mr. Murray Boyd, Miss Thelma Barraclough, Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales and Mrs. Dales, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. VanderVoort.

GEO. CULVERWELL WEDS LILA HARPER

With Rev. George F. Banks officiating, the marriage of Lila Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Harper of Sault Ste. Marie, to George W. Culverwell, son of Richard A. Culverwell and the late Mrs. Culverwell of Sutton West, was solemnized quietly at St. Peter's Church-on-the-Hill, Erindale, Ont., on March 1.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Jack Culverwell and Jack Culverwell, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Culverwell will reside in Toronto.

VANITY BEAUTY SHOPPE

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WEDDING

WOODHAM - KERR

In Rhodes Avenue United church on Feb. 22, Miss Audrey Fleming Kerr, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr of Toronto, to Fredrick Hugh Woodham, only son of Mrs. Storey of King. Rev. D. W. Christie officiated.

CHURCH WILL MARK 107TH ANNIVERSARY

Rev Dr. N. A. McEachran of Toronto will conduct the 107th anniversary services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Sunday.

SYDNEY SPARKS IS BRITISH-ISRAEL SPEAKER

Last Sunday afternoon at the regular weekly meeting of the British-Israel World Federation Sydney Sparks of Toronto gave one of his splendid talks to a good turn-out of interested members.

His topic was "What of the Turk," which in the face of world events is so much in the minds of everyone at the present time. Mr. Sparks gave many texts from scripture to back each statement in his address.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET PLANNED NEXT TUESDAY

Tuesday, March 18, is the date set for the 2nd troop Wolf Cub-Boy Scout father and son banquet. It is being held in the United church and commences at 6.30 p.m.

H. A. Jackson's orchestra will supply the music. Every Cub and Scout is requested to attend.

MAKES HOME INTO TWO APARTMENTS

Miss Nora French moved on Monday to the new apartment at 38 Millard Ave, of Mrs. Stella Boyd, who has changed her residence to make two apartments. Miss French will occupy the east half and Mrs. Boyd will still live in the other side.

SPRING TEA WILL DEFY ALL WEATHER

The members of St. Paul's W.A. are sparing no effort to make their spring tea a really spring-like occasion, for no matter what the weather is like out-of-doors it will certainly be spring in the parish hall, with flowers blooming everywhere, roses climbing up the rose-trellis and arbor, and scattering their petals over the garden fence.

Come and spend a social hour and have a cup of tea with friends and then buy some delicious home-baking to carry home for hubby's tea.

Receive Letters From Namesake Destroyer

In a letter received by Rev. A. J. Patstone, rector of St. Paul's church, from Lieut.-Commander Harding of H.M.S. Newmarket, a former U. S. destroyer which has recently been turned over to Canada, hearty thanks are expressed for the contact with his ship.

Mr. Patstone, at the suggestion of friends at the naval headquarters in Halifax, who thought the ship would be interested in establishing connection with the town of Newmarket, wrote to the commander of the ship.

The commander says: "It is always interesting to learn the history and foundations of any place or event connected with one's ship . . . Whether they be in England, Canada, U.S.A., or even New Zealand, I am a great believer in such ties. It gives the sailors something to really think about and be proud that we have something in common with you all . . .

"Mrs. Harold McClelland has also written me from the Red Cross, and we are indeed very grateful for the interest. It makes a lot of different in these days . . . Best wishes and all good fortune to you and everyone in Newmarket from the officers and men of this ship."

Mrs. McClelland has also heard from the commander, expressing gratitude for the offer of help from the local Red Cross and indicating that that sort of help would be welcome.

A Bright Ray of Hope

By REV. ARTHUR GREER

Who dares to say that this is not a day of extreme danger? We face a foe who is both ruthless and powerful, and whose insane, overruling ambition is to crush the British Commonwealth.

But we have a godly sovereign who believes that ultimately the fate of the nations is in the hands of God; this God-sent monarch has proclaimed another day of prayer, and herein is our bright ray of hope.

The prime minister of Canada has proclaimed the same Sunday as a day of prayer in Canada, and encourages every Canadian to pray in his own church.

We, the ministers of the gospel in Newmarket, earnestly call upon every man, woman and child who is loyal to the king, and to the King of kings, to be in their place on this day set aside for repentance and intercession.

The day is Sunday, March 23.

PASTOR IS IMPROVING

Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, pastor of St. John's R.C. church, Newmarket, is showing a "slight improvement" in his condition, The Era was informed this week. Dr. Muckle is in St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, recovering from a severe throat ailment.

W.C.T.U. PRESIDENT HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

The regular meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held on Tuesday at the home of Miss L. Toole. As it was the president's birthday, Mrs. E. Western presented Mrs. Arthur Winn with a beautiful bouquet of flowers from the W.C.T.U. and Miss L. Starr read her numerology.

Mrs J. A. Maitland gave a splendid paper on conditions in the war zone.

The meeting closed with a lovely luncheon, served by the hostess, and a decorated birthday cake.

COLLEGE GLEE CLUB WILL PRESENT "PINAFORE"

Pickering College glee club this week announces the dates for the annual operetta, which will be presented at the college on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 27, 28 and 29.

The production this year will be Gilbert and Sullivan's popular "H. M. S. Pinafore."

The glee club will be assisted by Alice Strong Rourke, Maire Davies, Toronto, Elizabeth Holmes Beer, Alan Sawyer, Toronto, and a chorus of Newmarket ladies. Gwendolyn Williams of Toronto will be at the piano.

SNOW-SHOVELLING IS STILL IN STYLE

This week's heavy fall of snow covered Newmarket as completely as it did other Ontario centres. Garageless cars were buried under a blanket of snow as dawn broke yesterday morning and car owners were afforded early-morning exercise in snow-shovelling.

However, what is sorrow to some people is joy to others and skiers in the district are happy about the whole thing. Skiing over the weekend is expected to be good.

Skiers are warned by county police not to park their cars in such a way that they will interfere with traffic on county roads. A snow-plow and other traffic was held up for two hours on a King township road last week before the owners of the offending cars could be located to move their vehicles.

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Free cereal bowl with 3 pkgs. 25c

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Cooked Spaghetti	16 oz. tin	2 for 23c		
Hawe's Lemon Oil	12 oz. bottle	23c		
Hawe's Floor Wax	pound tin	43c		
Mephisto Chicken Haddie	16 oz. tin	17c		
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COMMENTATOR WILL BE BANQUET SPEAKER

The annual banquet of the York County Holstein club is being held at Agincourt this year on St. Patrick's night, Monday, March 17, and according to the directors, there promises to be a record crowd. President Roy Barker of Woodbridge advises that the committee has secured as guest speaker the popular radio commentator and newscaster, John Collingwood Reade, who will speak on "Democracy at War."

Entertainment will be provided by a popular comedian of Toronto, playing to this group for the first time, and North York's own Marie Draper Lyons.

As the speaker must be back to the studio well in advance of his "good-night everybody" broadcast, the banquet is called for 6.15 standard or 7.15 daylight time in Heather Hall, Agincourt.

GUIDES VISIT FISH HUTS ON LAKE SIMCOE

On Feb. 15 the Girl Guides collected a total of $23 at their tea and home-baking sale. Five dollars went to the local Red Cross and the remaining $18 went to the British war victims' fund in Toronto.

As Feb. 22 was "Thinking Day," (the joint birthday of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell), the Newmarket Girl Guides were the guests of the Roche's Point company. The Guides visited fishing huts half-way across Lake Simcoe. The "Thinking Day" ceremony followed the hike and before returning home the Guides partook of a delicious lunch of hot chocolate and hot dogs.

On Tuesday evening of last week, March 4, two tenderfoots, Marion Hamilton and Arlene McTavish, were enrolled as Guides.



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Marcel	50c
Permanents	$3 & $7
End permanents	$2 & up
Facials	50c
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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE WILL SEE SALADS MADE

The regular monthly meeting of the Newmarket branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Boadwin, 41 Timothy St., on Thursday, March 20.

The roll-call will be "Tell what nationality you descended from." The topic," Canadianization," will be taken by Mrs. Haskett.

A demonstration on salad-making will be given by Mrs. N. L. Mathews and Mrs. W. M. Cockburn. Hostesses are Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Kay and Mrs. F. A. Lundy.

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MAY NOMINATE

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tives of the churches of the dominion of Canada, when on July 24, 1940, they asked:

(a) The closing of all beverage rooms, taverns and wine shops for the period of the war and demobilization.

(b) The restricting of the hours of sale in liquor stores from 3 to 8 p.m. during week days.

(c) The prohibition of all advertising of liquor, save in places of manufacture.

(d) When we have done these three, the closing of the wet canteen in the army.

That those organizations which have not sent in their petitions be requested to forward them at once.

And that we urgently request of our representative in the dominion government, Hon. William P. Mulock, an explanation as to why no action has been taken by the government to meet these requests.

We are encouraged with the response, so far, in the war-time abstinence campaign, and we would recommend that this campaign be continued with vigor during the Lenten season and thereafter.

Deploring the many accidents on the public highways, a great number of which we believe are the results of the drinking of intoxicants; and, believing that bootlegging is on the increase, we would call upon the attorney-general and his officers, and all police officers for a more rigid enforcement of our liquor laws in the province of Ontario.

Owing to the difficulty of determining the degree of intoxication of persons involved in accidents or under other circumstances, we would recommend that whenever upon medical examination there is found 1.5 parts per 1,000 of alcohol in the blood, the person be considered as intoxicated.

We would further recommend that such a medical test be made in connection with all highway accidents.

That our secretary be instructed to procure copies of these resolutions and send them to the local press, members of the executive and all others concerned.

J. P. Wilson is the president of the organization and Harold E. Wellwood is the secretary.

Officers elected for 1941 are: J. M. Walton, Aurora, Dr. S. J. Boyd, Newmarket, George D. Wark, Orillia, honorary presidents; Dr. J. P. Wilson, Richmond Hill, president; Charles Atkinson, Bethesda, vice-president; Rev. H. E. Wellwood, Richmond Hill, secretary-treasurer.

W. A. HEARS TALK ON SCOTLAND AND LONDON

About 43 members attended the March meeting of the Women's Association of Trinity United church which was held last Thursday. Mrs. Wesley Brooks, president, presided. Mrs. Rowland was in charge of the devotional period, and the theme was "Faith in the Holy Spirit." A delightful piano solo, "Angelic Harps," was played by Mrs. George Blackwell.

Mrs. J. A. Harrison of London, England, gave a very interesting informal talk in which she described scenes from her childhood in Scotland, and then life in London.

The meeting closed with a pleasant social half-hour.

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CALENDAR

Rev. A. R. Park will preach at the Baptist church on Sunday in the morning on "Is it well with thee?" and in the evening on the second word of Jesus from the cross—"Today shalt thou be with me in paradise." The men's class meets at 2 p.m., and Sunday-school meets at 3 p.m.

Aurora high school alumni association will hold its annual dance in Toronto on Tuesday evening.

AURORA Social AND Personal

Mrs. H. Bain, Harrison Ave., returned home this week after visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Quinn at Oakville.

Additional Aurora Social and Personal news will be found on Page 6, Col. 6.

ASK EGGS FOR ORANGE ORPHANAGE

Once again as Easter approaches townspeople are planning to keep intact their record of former years or even surpass it in providing an egg shower for the Loyal True Blue and Orange Orphanage at Elgin Mills.

Major W. H. Taylor, veteran Orangeman and a trustee of the home since it was erected, stated to The Era that Aurora's usual contribution was about 126 dozen, or about one dozen per child.

"They are a great bunch of kiddies and I think, regardless of whatever demands may be made, that this is one effort that is worth-while," said Major Taylor. "Many of the children's fathers are overseas this year."

Eggs may be left at any of the following places and they will reach their destination as soon as "the bunny comes" — Marshall Rank's store, Morris' butcher shop and Major Taylor's residence, Wellington St.

SHOW FLOWER SLIDES TO SCHOOL CHILDREN

The Aurora Horticultural society held a very successful meeting in the I.O.O.F. hall on Friday evening.

The president, James Raeside, welcomed the guests. A splendid collection of colored slides on perennial borders and shrubs was shown. Mrs. John Klees gave the talk on both subjects. During the evening the Aurora Mountaineers, under the direction of Frank Griffith, provided music.

At the next meeting a report on the recent provincial conference will be given.

Earlier in the day Mrs. Klees addressed the children at Aurora public school and exhibited the slides. The pupils are now busy preparing essays on what they saw and learned.

BLAME COMMON COLD

Illness in February, mostly the common cold, lost Aurora public school pupils a total of 540½ schoo' days, Principal John G. McDonald told The Era. Several cases of measles are included in this figure. Aggregate attendance was 8,018, actual attendance was 7,420, with a total of days lost of 598 made up as follows: illness 540½, home help 15, parental neglect 26, truancy 1, privation 1, other reasons 10½. There are 402 pupils on the roll. Average attendance for the month was 372.

LODGE EUCHRE PROCEEDS GO TO WAR FUND

Elma Rebekah lodge held a successful euchre on Tuesday evening at which $17 was raised for the British war victims' fund. Prize-winners were: ladies, Mrs. R. Marsten and Mrs. J. Fisher; men, Thos. Smith and Clarence Doolittle.

The event was held in the I.O.O.F. hall, which was donated free of charge. To co-operate with the effort, Queen Mary L.O.B.A. cancelled their euchre, which was to have been held the same evening.

RAISE CHURCH FUNDS

The Women's auxiliary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church held a croquinole and Chinese checkers party at the home of Mrs. W. Baldwin, Mosley St., on Thursday evening. A large crowd was in attendance and a nice sum was raised for the church maintenance fund. Croquinole winners were Mrs. J. G. McDonald, and Norman Rogers of Armitage, while at Chinese checkers Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson and Mrs. Duncan Macdonald took top honors.

NURSE DESCRIBES PORTSMOUTH BLITZ

Mrs. B. Simmons of Yonge St. has received a letter from Portsmouth, England, under a late January date, from her friend, Miss Olive Holmes, a nurse at St. Mary's hospital, parts of which are given below.

"I hope I remember your address correctly because I'm afraid in the hurry of the last week or two a lot of my possessions have been lost. Last Friday was our "blitz" night and when the Huns finally left about 2 a.m. there wasn't much left of Portsmouth. Until you are really in one of these heavy raids and suffer from them personally you can't really imagine what hell it is.

"I remember seeing on the newsreel the refugees walking in a steady stream from the cities of the low countries, you know, Holland, Belgium, etc., and of course I felt sorry for them, but it seemed so distant and far away—like another world almost, but when I saw the people with bundles on their backs streaming out of Portsmouth on the Saturday morning I could really understand and feel the feeling of those refugees.

"We have had no electricity or gas for nearly a week and all water has to be boiled for ten minutes for danger of typhoid. This hospital was hit, with high explosives wrecking the day nurses' home, kitchen and mess-rooms, etc. It even damaged the underground theatre while an operation was in progress. The theatre, by the way, was supposed to be bomb-proof. They attack us in waves, dropping incendiary bombs, tons of them, for a few hours. Then, after a short interval, they are back with high explosives and time bombs, and guided by the fires caused by the incendiaries, they know just exactly where to drop them. It is not generally known that over 1,000 people were killed. There is going to be a massed burial, with army, naval and air force honors."

Despite everything, the writer goes on to tell of Christmas presents, dances and life in general, that sounds like peacetime.

WITH THE SOLDIERS

Pte. Leonard Patrick of the Irish regiment, Camp Borden, was in town over the weekend visiting his brothers, Albert and Stewart.

Pte. Albert Vines, of the Q.O.R., who is taking a trade course as a gun artificer at the department of militia training school, in Hamilton, spent the weekend at his home.

Among members of the R.C.A.F. spending the weekend in town were Alfred Bolsby, headquarters, Toronto, Aircraftman J. Marchen, Camp Borden, Douglas Seath, St. Thomas, George English, Fingal, and George Davis, Camp Borden.

Tom Smith of the North Bay training camp is spending a few days leave at his home.

Pte. Andrew Rose of the Irish regiment, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

B.Y.P.U. MEETS

Lorraine Gunton's group had charge of the Baptist Young People's Union meeting at Aurora Baptist church on Monday evening.

Miss E. M. Blake took the worship period, following which various members read from the life of a Chinese boy. Doris Borden and Florence Rose sang a duet. Next week Doris Dodd will be in charge of the meeting.

GOES TO COBOURG

George Hacking, former Aurora boy, and lately a member of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, city hall branch, Toronto, has been transferred to Cobourg, Ont., and he and Mrs. Hacking have taken up residence there.

PROPERTIES RENTED

James Wilson has rented the Peter Faris property on Temperance St. and assumed possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Clarkson, Kettleby, have rented the Stephenson residence on Temperance St. and will move to Aurora in April.

Sounds Promising

Marion—What are the young man's intentions?

Harriet—Well, he's been keeping me pretty much in the dark.

On the Dull Side

Barber—What's the matter? Ain't the razor takin' holt?

Customer—Yeah, hit's takin' holt, but hit ain't lettin' go again.

Defeat Schomberg 8-1, Help War Victims

In a charity game on Monday evening Aurora juniors took Schomberg O.R.H.A. team by a good 8-1 margin.

The two teams were fresh out of goal-tenders and Shorty Graham and "Nip" Armstrong tried to fill in for the losers, while Wyatt "Nibs" Saigle, elongated town youngster, replaced Waddell in the locals' net. Several players were missing from both regular lineups, but the handful of fans who came out got their money's worth. Saigle in the Aurora nets was the star of the game and was unbeatable although it was his first appearance with the team. He is a real prospect for another season.

Ewart Pinder refereed the contest and the last two minutes saw some hectic hockey, as all the players on both sides went out at one time for a mad scramble after the puck. Over $10 was raised for the British war victims' fund.

If Schomberg had had their regular goal-tender there is no doubt the game would have been closer.

Defeat Lakefield But Lose To Upper Canada

St. Andrew's College hockey team concluded their season's schedule last weekend. On Friday they defeated Lakefield prep, 10-2 at the local arena.

On Saturday the firsts took their worst beating in some years at the hands of Joe Primeau's Upper Canada junior B team by a decisive 14-2 score. The blue and white Toronto prep. school boys were too experienced and too well coached for the local school.

George Mara of the Primeau squad, one of Cribanio's outstanding junior players, notched no less than six goals.

Herb. Holman handled both games.

MAYBE TWO BROUGHT PEPPER AND NONE SALT

The United church evening auxiliary held a pot-luck supper in the church parlors on Tuesday evening, with members each bringing some delicacy of their choice, the other members not knowing what each was bringing.

Miss Mary Teasdale, the vice-president, was in charge and took the worship and business sessions. Miss Ruth DeLaHaye led the singsong. Miss Jean Patterson, accompanied by Mrs. N. F. Johnson, gave a violin solo, while Miss Lorraine Flerheller sang.

Several other instrumental numbers were also included. Mrs. Fred Caulfield and Mrs. A. A. Cook were in charge of the program.

HARRY BICKMORE WEDS IN ENGLAND

The marriage took place recently in St. Mathew's church, Northampton, England, of Betty, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Moore, of Round House, Woburn, England, to Bombardier Harry Bickmore, R.C.A., only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bickmore of Toronto.

Bombardier Bickmore, prior to enlistment in 1939, was employed here with Rod Ward's garage. He also at one time managed a service station at Oak Ridges and is well known throughout the Aurora district.

CHANGE RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilpin have occupied the residence on Centre St. owned by the Walter Andrews estate and formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor.

PREACHES AT ST. ANDREW'S

Rev. F. H. Brewin of St. Simon's Anglican church, Toronto, took the chapel service on Sunday at St. Andrew's College chapel.

One Smart Girl

"I've a friend I'd like you girls to meet."

Athletic girl: "What can he do?"

Chorus girl: "How much has he?"

Literary girl: "What does he read?"

Society girl: "Who are his family?"

Religious girl: "What church does he belong to?"

College girl: "WHERE IS HE?"

SCHOMBERG-KING HOPE TO ARGUE WAY BACK IN

The Schomberg-King intermediate O.R.H.A. team, local group winners, although eliminated by Kleinburg, have new hopes of getting back in the title hunt according to Manager Bob Moodie.

Last week Kleinburg defeated Rockton 6-5 on the round but the South Waterloo boys did not take it lying down. They have protested the series in which each team won on the other's ice, on the grounds that two of the Kleinburg team live in Mount Dennis and so are ineligible for competition, and that Bill Rob has played mercantile hockey, contrary to rural group rules.

Tonight in Galt the farmer hockey solons will decide the issue, and if Kleinburg is tossed out it is said that Schomberg will be in and the Rockton series played over.

"Our chances of being back in the play-offs look good," Mr. Moodie told The Era. "It looks as if Kleinburg will be ruled out and if we are allowed back in there'll be some real competition in the Aurora rink. Our boys are convinced they can go through to the title."

Jess Turton, the Schomberg goalkeeper would, however, not be eligible for competition now, as he has joined the army in the past week and is not likely to be in this vicinity.

Y.W.M.S. HOLDS SHOWER

The Young Women's Missionary society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Robert Easdale, Edward St. Chief business of the meeting was a stocking shower for the missionary bale being prepared by the society. Mrs. Marshall Rank, the president, was in the chair.

R.C.A.F. MAN LIKES LOOK OF LOCAL ICE FLIERS

Bill Thornton, who played defence for Aurora juniors about 1934, was in town on Monday looking the picture of health. Bill is in the R.C.A.F. and is stationed at Moncton, New Brunswick. He enlisted from Sudbury, Ontario. He took in the Schomberg-Aurora game and thought the Aurora boys looked pretty good, although he said, "There isn't anybody as fast as 'Wink' Barnard."

WOLVERINES GOBBLE UP SOURDOUGHS

As a prelude to the Schomberg-Aurora game on Monday, a pee-wee game was played, Walker's Wolverines downing Closs's Sourdoughs 6-3.

Stewart DeLaHaye, Bell Mundell and Tom Brodie scored for the Closs clan, while Mickey Sutton (3), Gordon Pugh and Gene Rose were the winners' goal-getters.

WHAT COUNCIL DID ON TUESDAY

1. Passed electric light report authorizing proposed new work on Metcalfe, Mosley, Wells, Reuben, Temperance, Machell and Irwin Sts., and Wellington St. west.

2. Authorized electric light committee to obtain services of an assistant lineman.

3. Took no action regarding increase of Leo Hodgins' salary and referred it back to committee.

4. Approved two joint-use-of-pole agreements with the Bell Telephone Co., one whereby the company pays the town $166.27 for the use of $1 poles and the other whereby the town pays the company $123.64 for use of 60 poles.

5. Authorized fire committee to purchase the following at approximate costs: fire extinguisher at cost of $20; 200 ft. of hose at $220; pipe and nozzle at $22; army gas mask at cost of $35.

6. Entered into an agreement authorizing the treatment of a patient in the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, town to stand responsible for bill, parents agreeing to reimburse monthly for cost.

7. Set the tax rate at 40 mills and approved departmental budgets for the year.

8. Discussed in detail waterworks improvements and left to committee.

9. Held over auditor's report until next meeting. To ask auditor to be present.

10. Appointed William Large deputy-treasurer, deputy-clerk, and tax collector and set salary at $25 per week, $5 increase as payment for additional duties.

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May Nominate Temperance Man In Provincial Contest

TEMPERANCE FEDERATION CONVENTION HELD AT VANDORF

Resolutions passed at the annual convention of the North York Temperance Federation, held in Wesley United church, Vandorf, last Friday, were as follows:

Rejoicing that posts have been established in a great number of Sunday-schools and Young People's Societies, and believing in the value of such training and information in the development of the youth of our land, we would heartily recommend that a post be established in every Sunday-school and Young People's organization in the county.

We would further recommend that, in connection with the annual county convention next year, a rally of members of posts be held.

That the citizens of North York be called upon to put principle above party politics in dealing with the liquor problem and other moral questions. And that we, the temperance people of North York here assembled, declare our purpose to place a temperance candidate in the next provincial election, if none of the party candidates will commit themselves to do all in their power to wipe out the beverage rooms and greatly reduce the hours of sale in the liquor stores of the province.

That in the face of the world war tragedy through which we are passing, when there is such urgent need of men and money to make victory a reality—and realizing the tremendous waste of both men and money through the use of intoxicating liquor—we would urge the government to accede to the request placed before them by the representa-

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VISIT ALL CHURCHES

Each month the 1st Aurora Boy Scout troop have a church parade. Sunday next they will attend the evening service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. This will mark a complete round of all the churches in town.

LOSE TO PICKERING

Pickering College firsts handed Aurora high school hockey team their first defeat of the season last week in Newmarket arena, taking an 8-4 decision over the local school.

DIVIDE ASSESSMENT OF FACTORY BUILDING

In accordance with the request of Wright and McMillan, solicitors for Fleury-Bissell Ltd., the town has apportioned the assessment on the property owned by the firm now and that owned by the Grover Shoe Co.

The whole parcel was assessed $14,000 on buildings and $1,200 on land, a figure that has stood for many years. Today the figure stands the same but it is divided between the two firms.

Last week the county assessors, James Cameron and C. J. Babcock, looked over the property but would make no recommendations. Assistant Town Treasurer William Large and Assessor W. H. Taylor, however, solved the problem with some intensive measurements and mathematical calculations which were a stroke of genius, according to council members.

Measurement finds the new shoe firm with 50,575 square feet of floor space, which, on a basis ranging from 25 cents to 10 cents per square foot worked out to $9,776.55. Fleury-Bissell Ltd. still retain 24,830 square feet of floor space in this particular parcel and their apportionment is $4,223.45.

Strike Rate At 40 Mills, Approve $600 For Industry-Getting

Relief Budget Dropped To One-Third of Last Year's, Light Department Has Surplus

Aurora's 1941 tax rate will be 40 mills, the town council decided after a lengthy probe into town affairs on Monday evening. The auditor's report and its recommendations were tabled until April, when the auditor will meet council.

"Our interest rate is down, the county levy is down and our bank borrowings will be down," said Deputy-Reeve C. E. Sparks.

"Next year the Yonge St. debenture will be off, a saving of $2,264.32, which will enable us to do something towards lowering the rate then. Meanwhile, we must prepare to reduce our overdraft and be prepared for any eventualities."

The total assessment roll is $1,612,247 this year. A large balance was announced in the electric light account and the committee's recommendation that no charge be made this year for street lighting was warmly criticized by the electric light chairman, Councillor Ross Linton, with the result that this clause was defeated.

"We have a balance in the electric light department, but we need this money for street lighting if we are to make the necessary repairs and improve our system under the definite plan we have worked out," said Councillor Linton.

"I think the people who create money for the department are entitled to good service and my committee proposes to give it to them. I don't see why the general account should be bolstered more this year."

In urging a $600 appropriation for industrial purposes, the committee chairman, Councillor Dr. G. A. C. Gunton, said, "If we are ever going to get new industries it is now. Our neighbors are wide awake and we need to be too. The money will only be spent as needed and will not be wasted. I feel we can look for results, but expenses must be incurred and we can't do the work without funds." The estimate was approved. The relief budget was down to $500, one-third of last year's estimate.

New Industry May Start Making Shoes Next Week

In all probability Aurora's newest industry, Grover Shoe Co., will commence operations next week, gradually taking on more employees as machines are installed and the plant system evolved.

The past few weeks the factory has been a hive of activity as workmen installed the intricate shoe machinery which arrives each day. Over 40 machines had been installed early this week and President Leonard Grover expressed himself as well pleased with the plant and the progress made to date. Inability to obtain machinery as fast as expected, due to war work, has slowed down things a bit.

It was not disclosed how many employees would be put to work immediately but from the large numbers of applicants seeking jobs it was apparent there would be no shortage of capable workers. Many of these, however, will require a certain amount of technical training. Samples of the firm's goods are expected to be ready for the trade any time now.

College Qualifies For Prep School Play-Offs

St. Andrew's College basketball team, by virtue of an 18-10 win over University of Toronto schools, annexed the district prep. school group title and will enter the provincial playdowns, provided the dates do not interfere with studies.

In an exhibition game at the college on Saturday against Trinity College school of Port Hope the Andreans scored a brilliant 31-11 win, romping away from their opponents in the last half after the score was 11-9.

The college scored 20 points to their opponents' two in the last half. Captain J. E. "Pat" Davis led the scorers with 11 points, while W. B. Gourlay obtained eight and Jim McVean six. Svennigson, with six points, was the visitors' best.

Today's Upheaval Will Bring New Society - Jos. McCulley

"It is a certainty that as a result of today's world upheaval a new kind of world and a new kind of society will emerge," declared Headmaster Joseph McCulley of Pickering College, Newmarket, to the men of Trinity Anglican church parish on Tuesday evening.

"If it doesn't, I see no hope for us," said Mr. McCulley. "Things must be turned upside down pretty much if we're going to have a world that is right-side up."

Choosing as his subject, "The place of the church in the world of today," Mr. McCulley warned his audience that "the world is at one of the major crossroads of history, in a great period of uncertainty. Let us remember, however, that out of all such crises have come something infinitely better, something worth-while."

He touched on the three major crises in world history to date, first, the fall of the Roman empire,

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JOSEPH McCULLEY

WM. LARGE RECEIVES SALARY INCREASE

Assistant Town Treasurer William Large was made deputy-clerk, deputy-treasurer and tax collector at a meeting of council on Monday evening.

Mr. Large's salary was raised $5 per week, to $25, the extra $5 being his remuneration for added duties as tax collector. Mr. Large will be empowered to deal with tax arrears in conjunction with arrangements of the finance committee.

Leo Hodgins, town caretaker and safety policeman, who asked for a raise over his present salary of $12 per week, had his request sent back to committee. Councillors Fred Rowland and Dr. G. A. C. Gunton moved he be paid $16 per week, but were out-voted by the rest of their colleagues.

GOES TO JARVIS

Reginald Wade of the R.C.A.F. has been transferred from the manning pool to Jarvis, Ont.

LIBERAL WOMEN RAISE $136 FOR WAR FUND

Owing to parliamentary duties, Morgan Baker, M.L.A., was unable to be present at the meeting of the Aurora Women's Liberal Association held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. M. Kirkwood, Yonge St.

The association had raised $136 for the British women's war fund, it was announced.

HAS STORE POSITION

Miss Madeline Bell has accepted a position with Dominion Stores here.

TEACHER IMPROVES

Miss Mabel Chappell, member of the staff of Aurora public school, who has been seriously ill the past six weeks, is now somewhat recovered.

Navy "Scrappers" Get Scrap Leather Jackets

The combined efforts of the Aurora War Veterans and the Aurora Red Cross have produced a fine bunch of leather jackets, which will soon be worn by Canadian and British sailors.

The leather, donated from scrap by the Collis Leather Co., and the Sisman Shoe Co., was tough handling for the ladies, so President George Duffield of the war veterans' conceived the idea that Aurora veterans employed at the leather plants would cut these out according to the ladies' specifications.

The leather was cemented to the cloth in place of pinning it. This was found to be satisfactory and from there on the ladies completed the jackets, which are both commodious and warm.

TELLS MOTHERS WHAT BOY SCOUT SHOULD WEAR

The mothers' auxiliary of the 1st Aurora Boy Scout troop met at the home of Mrs. Charles Dodson, Connaught Ave., on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Thomas Dann, the president, was in charge.

Mrs. John Crabtree gave a talk on, "What the well-dressed Boy Scout will wear." The mothers were familiarized with the equipment a Scout needs.

HAS BEEN ILL

Mrs. Fred Morris, Wellington St., is seriously ill. Her condition is somewhat improved now.

Native King Township, Aurora Lady Dies, 70

The death occurred on Saturday at York County hospital, Newmarket, of Mrs. Isabella Ferguson, Kennedy St., in her 71st year.

The deceased was ill but a week and her death came as a shock to the community.

Isabella Lawson was born at Strange, Ontario, a member of a well-known York county family. She married the late J. L. Ferguson, who predeceased her 14 years ago. Before moving to Aurora 20 years ago they farmed in King township.

She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church and was a faithful attendant and worker in the ladies' organizations, in which she held office for many years.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ernest Glass, Aurora, and two brothers, ex-Deputy-Reeve John Lawson and Thomas H. Lawson, of King township.

The funeral service was held on Monday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church with the Rev. Stewart Ferguson of Elmview Presbyterian church, Toronto, in charge of the service, assisted by Rev. T. R. White of Aurora. Interment was at King cemetery.

JOINS HOME GUARD

John Maaten, Temperance St., has joined the veterans' home guard corps with the rank of corporal. He is the immediate past president of the local war veterans' branch.

P. S. STARS WIN AND WIN

Del. Babcock's public school hockey stars of the future chalked up two more wins on Thursday evening. The A team won over Vandorf 7-1, while the B team scored a 5-2 win over Oakridges in the other half of the twin bill. Eric Bilborough, flashy forward of the A team, is not in action these days, being down with a case of measles.

MAKE BOWLING TRIP

Two Aurora bowling teams met on Toronto alleys on Wednesday evening. Among those making the trip were Charles Fry, John Morning, C. C. Macdonald, Charles Malloy, Dr. J. V. Boland, Sandy McNairn.

Walter Milgate and Irwin Watts, C. C. Macdonald and John Morning captained the two teams.

SPEAKS ON ART

Members of the In-As-Much club will meet on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Caulfield, Reuben St. Chief attraction of the evening will be an address on art by Mrs. G. W. Williams.

A.H.S. BASKETBALLERS DEFEAT HILL TEAMS

The Aurora high school basketball squads virtually cinched two district titles as they downed Richmond Hill seniors and juniors by 30-12 and 30-3 respectively on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Blondie Rawlings, with 13 points, led the double blue to victory.

R.H.H.S.: Stephens (6); Cosgrave (5); Edmunds (1); Norris, Stewart, Graham.

Aurora: Foillott (7); P. Hughey; Rawlings (13); Fingold (2); Campbell (2); W. Stephens, Burton, Pugsley (6).

The big high school junior team easily out-classed the midget Hill boys, who tried in vain against their smooth-working opponents.

R.H.H.S: Bennett (2) Palmer, Keffer (1); Brown, Taylor, Patterson, Ross, Lake, Graham.

A.H.S.: Nisbet (2); B. Davis (8); Kyle, Stephenson (4); Rose, Babcock, Johnson, Griffith (16).

Additional Aurora and district news will be found on Pages 5A (back) and 6.

Schomberg

The funeral of the late Robert McCutcheon was held at the residence of his son, Arthur, on Tuesday of last week, and at the Schomberg cemetery. Rev. Mr. Cranston conducted the service.

Mrs. Thos. Cooper's convalescence appears to be very slow. Mrs. J. Thompson is caring for her at present.

The Anglican W.A. met on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. E. Marchant, with Mrs. D. A. Wauchope as hostess.

A quilting was the main feature of the afternoon. There was also a short business session, conducted by Mrs. V. Marchant. It was decided to hold another baking sale and tea on Saturday afternoon, March 29, in the Institute room.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ellison and daughter have moved to Toronto.

The knitting club is carrying on and meet every week at the homes of the members. They are sending boxes of comforts to local boys overseas.

Mrs. Wm. Marchant has returned home after a month's visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. Sutton, and Mr. Sutton, in Sudbury.

Ross Marchant had the misfortune to fall while felling a tree in the bush and fractured several ribs.

Mrs. Robert McLean, who sustained a fractured arm early in the winter, is still suffering from it and friends hope she is soon much better.

A number of people from here attended the sale of farm stock held last Friday, March 7, on the farm of the late Richard Murray.

Before and After

Mrs. Nuwedd—You promised me before we were married that you would never look at another woman but me.

Nuwedd—I thought you understood that was only a campaign promise.

KETTLEBY

HOLD EUCHRE IN AID OF BRITISH WAR VICTIMS

Mrs. E. Morris is spending a few days in New Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. J. Keffer.

The Y.P.S. of the United church met in the Temperance hall on Wednesday, March 5. Mr. Ewart gave a very interesting topic, which was still another "ism,"—"Canadianism."

Miss Laura Black is visiting in Newmarket with her aunt, Mrs. James Ramsden, who is ill.

A good congregation attended the Baptist church on Sunday to hear the inspiring sermon by Prof. McCracken of McMaster University.

The B.Y.P.U. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clarkson on Monday evening.

Mr. Gordon Cook returned home from the hospital on Thursday of last week.

Miss Shirley Muirhead of Toronto spent the weekend at home.

A number of people attended the euchre on Friday night which was held in Blatchford's hall, in aid of the British war victims' fund. Prize-winners were: ladies' first, Mrs. Oscar Heacock; ladies' second, Mrs. W. Stevens, Schomberg; consolation prize, Miss Marion Fawcett; gentlemen's first, J. Harmon, gentlemen's second, Mrs. E. B. West (substitute); consolation, W. Hodgson.

Pine Orchard

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brandon, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brandon, Sr., visited in Stouffville on Sunday.

A number of people attended the mechanized farming conference in Stouffville on Monday.

Miss Olive Shell visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allan and Miss Aleta Widdifield on Friday night and part of Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eveleigh and baby and Mrs. Walter Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Randall Chapman on Sunday.

There will be no skating this Friday night, as the Pickering College rink was damaged by fire on Sunday night.

Mrs. Gordon Stevens visited in Toronto over the weekend.

SNOWBALL

EUCHRE CLUB HELPS WAR VICTIMS' FUND

The Snowball progressive euchre club meeting was held at the home of George Paynter on Friday evening, when the community was invited to enjoy the evening with the club members, the proceeds to be in aid of the British war victims. Quite a large number turned out to aid this worthy cause and a total of $17.25 was sent in.

The prize-winners were as follows: ladies' first, Miss Helen Lloyd; ladies' travelling, Mrs. Arthur Evans; ladies' consolation, Mrs. Norman Rogers, Newmarket; gentlemen's first, Mr. Heintzman; gentlemen's travelling, Scott Bovair, Temperanceville; gentlemen's consolation, Arthur Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Breedon and Miss Lorna Breedon and Mr. and Mrs. Stonehouse of Schomberg were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Den Shropshire.

Mrs. Norman Teasdale is visiting in her daughter, Mrs. Bradley, in Ottawa.

Mr. Clifton Copson has been under the doctor's care. His many friends will be pleased to learn his condition is somewhat improved.

The German measles epidemic has been quite bad in this vicinity. Several families have been on the sick list.

The Women's Association of the United church are holding an "Irish tea" on March 14 in the church basement. A good program is being arranged.

The Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Lloyd on Tuesday afternoon, March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and family are moving to Aurora. They will be missed very much from this community.

PLEASANTVILLE

REV. A. J. PATSTONE IS GUEST SPEAKER

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott, Donald and little Bernice spent Sunday in Toronto.

Mr. J. Stickwood, Misses Lydia and Frances Stickwood were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Walter Haines, Sharon.

Mrs. W. Barker of Zephyr spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Earl Toole, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howlett are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Friday, March 7, at Pleasantville.

The Willing Workers' club held a very successful meeting last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. Tucker. After the business part of the meeting, Mrs. G. McClure gave a very interesting story of "Peter."

Misses Dora McClure and Joyce VanLuven sang a duet. The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Reid.

At the Friday night club meeting, Rev. A. J. Patstone of the Anglican church, Newmarket, gave a very interesting account of "Life in general in New Brunswick," where he was stationed for a few years. Arrangements are being made for a play from Sharon to be presented at the school on March 20, under the auspices of the club.

The March meeting of the Institute will be held on March 20, at the home of Mrs. Needler. The program will consist of discussion, "Our Daily Food," led by members of the committee, roll-call, "Tell an Irish story or sing an Irish song," contest, "Find out when you come," duet, Mrs. Needler and Miss G. Harper.

Mrs. Needler was called to Galt last Thursday owing to the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Harper spent Monday in Toronto.

Eversley

Gordon Agar, third year student in Knox college, took the services in the King charge on Sunday, preaching at Eversley in the evening. Rev. M. E. Burch was called elsewhere to preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mudge of Toronto called at Scots Wha Hae on Sunday.

Miss Jessie Gellatly attended the hairdressers' convention held in the Royal York hotel, Toronto, last week.

The weekly community prayer meeting was well attended in the United church, King City, on Thursday night. Rev. Douglas Davis had full charge of the service.

Rev. D. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Winter and Mrs. Campbell of King City and Miss Ferguson of Eversley attended the Temperance Federation convention held at Wesley church, Vandorf, on Friday night. Miss Ferguson presented a copy of her "Nonsense Rhymes" to the youngest contestant, a wee boy, who gallantly recited a short, soldier-like, poem.

Pulling His Weight

In the railway carriage the plump sailor was telling the talkative lady all about life in the navy.

"What sort of ship are you on?" she asked.

"Submarine, mum," he replied.

"And what do you do?"

"Well, mum, I runs for'ard and tips her when we wants to dive."

DOWN THE CENTRE

Joe Primeau was in town on Saturday with most of last year's Upper Canada College prep. school team, whose battle with last year's Aurora Tigers will long be remembered by district hockey fans. As might be expected, the red and white sweatered St. Andrew's team were no match for their opponents. Included among the boys who played here last year were the redoubtable George Mara, who got six goals, defencemen Malcolm and Ridler, and forwards Gibson, Simpson and Osborne.

Between periods we had a bit of a gabfest with the former Leaf star, who truly earned his sobriquet of "Gentleman Joe." Primeau is one of the best-natured, unobtrusive, sportsmen we have ever met and a pretty good pattern on and off the ice for all that is best in hockey. He's no shrinking violet either and not so silent to talk to. Reminiscences of last year were naturally exchanged and Joe figures last year's Tigers to be as good a junior B team as he ever played against.

St. Michael's College, who are currently meeting Joint McComb and his St. Catharines mates as a prelude to the B round-robin series, eliminated the Upper Canada team in straight heats after the Avenue Rd. preppers had gone through the season, undefeated in the group, to the S.P.A. finals. He had as we expected no alibis but merely said, "They were too good, and in the play-offs played the best hockey." Marlboro juniors he fancied, prior to the Guelph final game, to take the Memorial cup.

"Their only worry is in the nets and they have got two bad games out of their system, which I don't think they'll repeat." He considers the senior series a toss-up, but while he was pulling for Marlboros, you could see he rather thought the Saints would take the Dukes. We asked him what he thought about Bill Cowley breaking his assists record, which stood so long, and he replied he was unconcerned.

"Records are a matter of the breaks, and the style of hockey played by a particular line," he said. "Neither Cowley nor I went after assists deliberately in place of goals. It was just that the other boys had the best chances to score and we played the puck to win for the team, if we could." The Bruins-Leafs argument of this year he wouldn't forecast, but he did pay tribute to his old buddy, Happy Day, and the fine job he was making with the Leafs. We surmise he thinks the Leafs are about due, and that they have a real chance this year. Year after year, although you'd never know it, the Toronto teams keep a close eye on the local junior group and we weren't a bit surprised when Primeau inquired about Ross Tunbridge.

There's a little more to it, of course, for Joe is a friend of Ross' father and you know what dads are, especially when you've a boy as good as Ross for a son. The season's record speaks for itself and also for our opinion of the same Tunbridge. Next year looks like a lean one at Upper Canada, as most of the experienced lads will be gone, but you can depend on Joe to come up with another good team.

Wilkie Fleury, the old Aurora lacrosse, hockey and baseball star, is now a corporal with the 48th and apparently is doing as good a job over there as he did on the ice and ball diamond. Benny Harris and Frank Michaniuk, who are playing a bang-up game for Sutton Greenshirts this season, moved into the Ironmen class last week. On Tuesday and Friday they played for Sutton against Powassan, Wednesday Harris played for Kodaks against the Air Force, and on Saturday Harris took part in another playoff contest for his fourth game in five days, while Michaniuk rejoined Stockyards for his third game in the same period. Work kept Mich. from tying Benny.

Sutton incidentally got a nice break when Ostranders were eliminated from the Ravina mercantile series, leaving Culverwell, Gardiner and Shepstone free to concentrate on the intermediate B playdowns. Two former pros played in the Powassan series, Ellis Pringle with Sutton, and one of the Palanglo boys, ex-Blackhawk, with the northerners. In taking Powassan the Sutton boys eliminated an old nemesis of other years. As a rule they have been poison to North York championship aspiration.

The tip is out now that Seaforth, last year's B finalists, and Waterloo are the teams to beat. Sutton should go right through to end a trail of seven years by our reckoning. Of the original team only Smith, Carpentier and Culverwell are left. There have been teams representing Sutton which had more players on it who were at the peak of their form, but no team as experienced, well-balanced and packed with reserve strength. It will be a heartbreaker if the Kaiser-Sibbald entry doesn't make the grade this year. All North York is pulling for them to make good.

Basketball continues to headline the local sports scene, with Norm Johnson's seniors and juniors as yet unbeaten and the titles within their grasp and St. Andrew's College annexing the district title over very strong opposition.

Aurora High have been monopolistic in the winning of junior titles but senior honors have been few and far between. The senior series this year in the interscholastic is below par, but still interesting enough and one more win against Pickering next week will make honors certain. The Aurora gym is, of course, a handicap to the invaders and a floor especially suited to a five-man defensive. However, on the road the team has stood up well too.

Bob Rourke, a few weeks ago, told us Pickering didn't have a hockey team but did have a basketball team that was a practical certainty. They were good but not quite good enough. Good enough to hand St. Andrew's their only defeat of the season, not good enough to win the group which included U.T.S. and U.C.C.

Pat Davis and Gourlay are two of the smartest cage-players we have ever seen in high or prep school competition and, sport fans, it's too bad you all can't have a look at the picture of St. Andrew's ball handling. Mr. Griffiths has done a real job of coaching and in eight contests the team has suffered only one defeat. Points show a total of 212 for and 145 against. If they are allowed to continue in the play-offs they will be in there or abouts when the chips are picked up.

War Victims have not been forgotten by North York sportsmen. Aurora juniors and Schomberg, both of which finished in the red, added to the Lord Mayor of London's fund and the O.H.A. patriotic fund this week. Queensville and Sharon teams have done their bit. At Sutton collections have been taken among the fans, and the Aurora badminton club, which has had a rather inactive season, knicked their treasury to kick in $35.

We have probably overlooked others who have done their bit, but the point we're trying to make is that your common ordinary John Public fan, with limited means at his disposal, is always ready to dig a little deeper, as are the exec. committees.

It pays to be a winner? Well, in the local junior C group Newmarket, Aurora and Sutton finished in the red in that order. Markham, from what we learn, are even now after one play-off gate and with ice looking uncertain and long trips ahead will be lucky to keep their heads above water. Last year's Tigers had to play their round-robin games to help maintain Maple Leaf Gardens and so lost out. Unless a small-town club can get at least three or four play-off games in their own rink, chances of being able to use blue ink are not good. Many a winning team on the ice has been a flop financially. Equipment, coaching, food, injuries, travelling expenses and, when you get down to near the end, lost time for boys who can't afford to leave their jobs are just a few of the items that eat into the take

WHERE ERA SOLD

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AURORA Social AND Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce VanLoon of Toronto and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Bellman of Toronto were in town on Saturday.

William Bull of the veterans' home guard corps spent the weekend at his home.

Mr. James Black of Temperance St. is seriously ill and confined to his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harman and family, of Newmarket, spent Sunday in town.

Pte. Donald Judd of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, Niagara camp, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Judd, Larmont St.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Morris, Wellington St.

Miss Evelyn Taylor, R.N., of Toronto, spent the weekend with her father, Major W. H. Taylor, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Allen of Toronto spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, "The Chateau," Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knowles and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. R. Cockerill, Victoria St.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hamer of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hamer, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kay of Willowdale, former Aurora residents, were in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Allen of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, Yonge St.

Mr. N. G. dePencier attended the Toronto Skating Club carnival at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, last night.

Corporal James Watt of the R.C.A.F. and Mrs. Watt, of Trenton, spent the weekend with Mrs. Watt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Foster, Larmont St.

Mr. George Wilson of Toronto, former Aurora resident, spent the weekend in town.

RAVENSHOE

Chicken Pox, Measles, Invade Rural Schools

The Y.P.U. withdrew their meeting last week on account of bad roads.

Monday's snowstorm added to the great amount already fallen, making the travelling very hard.

Rev. E. R. McLean, a representative of the Ontario Religious Education Council gave a very inspiring message at the afternoon service at Ravenshoe United church on Sunday.

There is chicken pox and measles at Ravenshoe, Jersey and Belhaven schools.

Ravenshoe choir were invited to Bethel church last Sunday for the morning service and gave special music for the special missionary service, quite a goodly number being present to hear Rev. Clifford Grant, a returned missionary from India, speak on that country.

The weather is a little milder. Crows are here again. Everyone is looking and hoping for an early spring.

The W.M.S. and W.A. will meet at the church for their monthly meeting and tea on Wednesday, March 19. Everyone is welcome at both meetings, in the afternoon and evening. Tea hostesses will be Mrs. W. Holborn and Mrs. J. Gordon and helpers.

Mrs. Thos. Johnson attended the Red Cross convention held at the Royal York hotel in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Munroe King and baby, of Sutton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton and at the Holborn home.

TORONTO MAN FALLS DEAD SKIING AT GLENVILLE

Gordon S. Evans, Toronto insurance broker was stricken with a heart attack while skiing at Glenville Sunday and collapsed and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Members of the Newmarket ski club who were near the scene hastily improvised a stretcher and carried the stricken man to a nearby farmhouse in the hope that he might still be alive. However, Coroner Dr. L. W. Dales, of Newmarket, said that death had been almost instantaneous. Mr. Evans was 36 years of age.

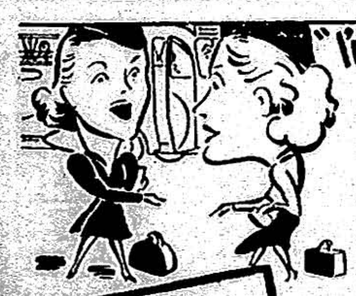
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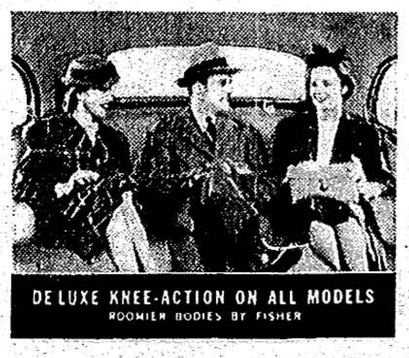
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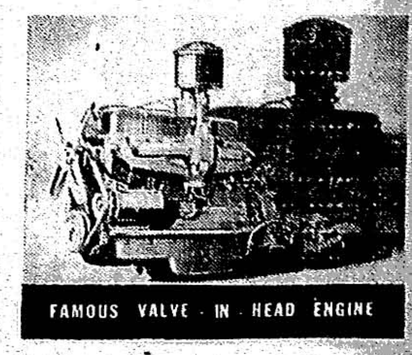
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Mount Pleasant

Real winter is still here and half of March nearly gone.

Everybody is enjoying the lovely sunshine lately.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston and Clara, of Brooklin, spent Saturday at Mr. Robt. Davidson's.

Pte. Wesley Shier and wife of Camp Borden spent the weekend at Mr. John Hopkins' home.

The young people's meeting at Mr. Bernard Davidson's last week was well attended.

The Ladies' Aid supper will be held at the home of Mrs. Bernard Davidson on Friday, March 14. Supper will be served from five to eight o'clock. All are welcome.

6th Con. N. G.

Many people living off the highway have just been able to get out the latter part of the past week, owing to the heavy snowfall on Monday, March 3. The snowplows have been kept very busy.

Last Sunday a missionary spoke at Bethel and gave a splendid discourse.

Miss Jean Winch, of Orillia, is spending a week at her home here.

Quite a number attended Geo. Arksey's sale in spite of the extremely cold, but bright day.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newburn of Toronto had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Cameron on Sunday. Miss Myrtle Stiles was also a visitor at the same home.

James Newburn, who had been staying with Mrs. S. Stiles this winter, was removed to York county hospital, Newmarket, on Saturday, where he passed away early Sunday morning. The funeral was held from Mount Albert undertaking parlors. Interment was made at Queensville.

The measles are travelling around these parts now.

At time of writing the weather has become quite stormy.

The ladies of Bethel church had their meeting at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Huntley's last Friday. Plans were made for a Boston supper on March 20. All are asked to plan to attend.

Elmhurst Beach

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. A. Dawson, whose marriage took place at Keswick on Tuesday. They will live at Wynhurst Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Clarke, Jr.

There were two quilts for the Red Cross quilted at Mrs. Wilmott Lloyd's home last week. This makes nine quilts for the Elmhurst district that have been quilted for the Red Cross.

Mrs. L. B. Pollock, Miss Doris Pollock and Miss Pauline Pollock attended the winter skating carnival in Toronto on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Cameron are opening the Terry home for a social gathering on March 22 for a welcome home for the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dawson, to give them their good wishes.

Mr. Walker and son, Mrs. Pearson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family, and Mr. and Mrs. O'Malley, all of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodgins.

Little Willie—Daddy, give me a dime.

Daddy—Don't you think you're too big a boy to be asking for dimes?

Little Willie—All right; give me a quarter.

PEPPER AND SALT

By PEP

Tom Kirk night, which is being held in the arena tonight, is unique in its appeal to Newmarket kids. There is no other annual event in the lives of the youngsters that compares with it in the promise of thrills. It pits school against school, in a friendly way, and, since every school is proud of its achievements on Tom Kirk nights of years gone by, every kid is bound he's going to do his utmost on his school's behalf. Victory of the school is much more important to most of the kids than individual victory.

This is a situation that was hard to explain in years before the war, but I think that it can be explained now. Since the start of this war people have realized pretty well that advancement of our individual careers doesn't mean a thing unless the common foe is vanquished. And so team spirit is something we have acquired both by desire and force of necessity.

However, and this is what I have been trying to say, this team spirit was a part and parcel of every kids' night and not just occasionally shown. The late Tom Kirk by the magic of his personality, tact and industry put that spirit into kids' night. Since his death it has lost some of the spirit, which was to be expected, but there is still enough of it left to make this annual event the climax of the arena season. Tonight's the night for the kids, be they eight or 80.

Markham is continuing its merry way in search of the junior "C" hockey title. Monday night they beat Cobourg 6-0 in the first of a two-game goals-to-count series. Bob Bangay got three goals and his brother scored one.

Bill Thoms, of the Chicago Black Hawks, is leading Newmarket boys in the N.H.L. with 30 points, 12 goals and 18 assists. He is second on the Black Hawk score sheet. Dit Clapper with eight goals and 17 assists is next in line and Herb Cain with seven goals and ten assists completes the Newmarket averages.

There's Latin love and Latin love and here's one idea of Latin love as gleaned from "Our Sunday Visitor."

Pueribus Kissibus
Sweeta Girlorum
Girlorum Likibus
Wanta Sumorum
Paterbus Girlibus
Enter Parlorum
Kickibus Pueribus
Exit Duorum.

It was a good move when the high school authorities decided on a system of insurance for students injured during school activities. Injuries to students this winter have been frequent in comparison with other years, and this scheme of insurance, in which each student pays so much a year, has probably saved much expense to parents of injured students. One reason for the increase in injuries may be that students are inclined to take more risks when they know they are insured.

Examinations are now the order of the day for the high school students. For those students who intend to work on farms in the spring or in apple orchards it will be probably their last set of exams this school year. Many of the students have expressed a desire to help their country in this way and it's all to their credit because farm work isn't the easiest work in the world. However, it is a good way to get in condition.

The fire which raced through the Pickering College rink Sunday night picked as good a time as any to do its work. The winter season is practically over and the college officials will have lots of time in which to plan their action in regard to the repairing of the old or the building of a new rink.

This rink has been, through the generosity of the college, more of a community rink than anything else. Townspeople and farmers of this district have enjoyed many a night of pleasant skating on its ice surface. The Pickering college gymnasium has been administered in much the same way, and thanks to the college are in order.

KESWICK

Miss Irma Hirst Is Bride of A. J. Dawson

Services in the United church last Sunday were well attended and of special interest in the morning, when Rev. E. R. McLean, general secretary of the Ontario Religious Education Council, was the speaker. The minister, Rev. Gordon Lapp, was in charge at the evening service. It was announced that the general theme of the lenten sermons would be "The Person and the Purpose of Jesus." The sermon of that evening was "Jesus, the Dayspring from on High." Next Sunday morning Mr. Lapp's subject is to be "Jesus, the Union of Opposites," and his evening subject is "Jesus, the Disturber."

On Monday the Keswick United Y.P.U. was presided over by the vice-president, Winston Prosser. The speaker was Roy Pollock.

The United church manse was the scene on Tuesday, March 11, of a very pretty wedding, when Miss Irma Winnifred Hirst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirst of Keswick, became the bride of Arthur John Dawson of Keswick, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dawson of Toronto. Rev. Gordon Lapp officiated. The matron of honor was Mrs. N. S. Shortreed of Keswick. The groom was attended by Mr. Leslie Lockerbie of Keswick. Following the ceremony the immediate relatives and bridal party were entertained at supper at the home of the bride's parents. They will reside in Keswick.

Mrs. Mary Glover is ill in York county hospital. Mrs. Glover has been quite ill for some time.

Mrs. Bain of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Mackinnon.

Mr. Pat. Murphy is moving to his new home in East Gwillimbury, and Mr. Wm. Draper is moving to the farm vacated by Mr. Murphy.

Mrs. J. H. Prosser is slowly recovering from a recent severe illness. Her daughter, Mrs. Whipple, is returning to her home in Meadville, Pa.

Mr. S. Hurwich is moving into the house recently occupied by Mr. D. McGenerty.

Miss Dorothy White, dietitian, has returned to her home, having been demonstrating for the Women's Institute in western Ontario.

The regular monthly meeting of the United church Women's Association was held on Thursday of last week. The devotional service in the afternoon was led by Mrs. Grant. An excellent supper was served under the leadership of Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Waldon, Mrs. L. B. Pollock and Mrs. Percy Mahoney. The tables were decorated nicely in green and white.

A good program followed, consisting mostly of musical numbers by the Keswick and Bethel pupils of Miss Muriel Willoughby. A prize was presented to Miss Reva Pollock for having practised music the greatest number of hours since Jan. 1. Miss Dorothy White gave two readings. W. Davidson and Mrs. Ernest Morton presented a short play.

Under the auspices of the North Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross, the Sharon Junior Farmers' play, "Mothers-in-law Blues," will be presented in the Belhaven hall on Monday evening, March 17, at 8 o'clock, standard time. As this is a township effort for the Red Cross, it is hoped that all families will be represented.

ROCHE'S POINT

Women's Groups Send Generous Shipments

Pte. Arthur Badland of the manning pool, Toronto, who has been home for the past two weeks, went back at the weekend.

Pte. T. Crandall of Pieton was home for the weekend.

The Red Cross held their monthly business meeting on Thursday, having shipped the following for January: 72 pairs of socks, three turtle-neck sweaters, three helmets, three pairs of mitts, three scarves, three pairs of seamen's socks, 16 dresses and bloomers.

For February: 47 pairs of socks, three sleeveless sweaters, three child's sweaters, six turtle-neck sweaters, six helmets, six scarves, six pairs of mitts, six pairs of seamen's socks, eight complete layettes, each containing two women's nightgowns, three shirts, one cake of soap, three baby's gowns, two pairs bootees, one piece linen, two dozen napkins, one bonnet, safety pins, two knitted jackets, one baby blanket, two knitted jackets, one towel, 12 perineal pads, one eiderdown jacket, two face cloths; 21 dresses (children's) and bloomers.

Pte. E. J. Bunn was home for the weekend from Newmarket camp.

Mr. Graham Rae of Toronto and a lady friend spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rae.

At the W. A. meeting on Wednesday they packed a refugee box which was sent to Mrs. Heaton and her workers. She ships direct to Buckingham Palace for distribution. The shipment was as follows: six dresses and bloomers, one pair mitts, four suits of pyjamas, six pairs socks, 12 washcloths, three boys' shirts, 12 tooth brushes, one knitted cap, three pairs bloomers, five pairs bed socks.

Miss Marjory Fox of Parry Sound is visiting her cousin, Miss Lillian Sheppard.

Misses Frances and Margaret Baines and Miss Elsie Badland of Toronto, were home for the weekend.

Little Marina Wallnck, who has been ill for the past week, is able to be up again.

The W. I. of Roche's Point will meet at the home of Mrs. Blain this Tuesday. They are shipping a refugee box through the Eastern Star lodge to Mrs. Vincent Massey in London, England, containing 12 pairs child's pyjamas, eight baby blankets, 12 pairs men's knitted gloves, two baby's eiderdown jackets, two baby's knitted jackets, four complete layettes, each containing one woman's nightgown, one knitted jacket, three baby's gowns, one eiderdown jacket, one and a half dozen napkins, three shirts, one piece of linen, one baby blanket, one bonnet, two pairs bootees, one towel and washcloth, one cake of soap, safety pins, one tin baby powder, one tooth brush and paste.

The W.I. president, Mrs. Wallnck, is very pleased to have this go to Mrs. Massey. She has worked very hard. She is also head of the patriotic work for this district of the Eastern Star.

Zephyr

Mrs. M. Arnold of Uxbridge, who has been visiting friends here, returned home on Friday of last week.

Mrs. D. Arnold of Ruddell, Sask., who came east to her father's funeral, has been calling on old friends in Zephyr.

Miss Grace Lockie, who is taking a course at a hairdressing school in Toronto, attended the hairdressers' convention held in the Royal York hotel last week.

Flight Sgt. J. W. B. Rynard of MacDonald, Man., and Miss Viola Rafter of Ottawa were married in St. Luke's Anglican church, Ottawa, on Friday evening, March 7.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson attended the funeral of his aunt in Aurora on Monday.

The Scott war workers held a sewing meeting in the community hall on Tuesday, March 11.

QUEENSVILLE

RED CROSS WILL HOLD SECOND DANCE

A three-act play entitled "A Sure Cure for the Mother-in-Law Blues" will be presented in Queensville United church on Friday evening, March 21, under the auspices of the Queensville W. A. This play will be given by the Sharon Junior Farmers' club.

Queensville Red Cross intends holding another dance within the next two or three weeks. No definite date has been set yet.

A number from here attended the Toronto Skating club carnival in Maple Leaf Gardens this week. Among these were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Beckett, Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eves, Miss Dorothy Shannon, Miss Jean Kavanagh and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lund and Mrs. Griffith of Weston were visiting at the Norris home last week.

Mrs. Walter Watson is ill with pneumonia, but is getting along nicely. Mrs. Arthur Watson of Willowdale is staying with Mrs. Watson.

Mr. Thos. Swain is ill this week. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mr. John Dunlop of Western Technical college spent last weekend with Mr. E. J. Norris.

The Fergus-Sutton hockey match in Sutton is on Friday night. It is expected Queensville will be well represented.

The L.O.B.A. dance will be held in Belhaven hall on Friday night.

The Women's Institute is holding a progressive euchre on Friday, March 14, in the schoolhouse. As this is the last euchre of the season, they plan to make it the biggest and best yet, with good prizes and lots of fun. All are invited to come. Euchre starts at 8 o'clock sharp, standard time.

Maple Hill

There was a good attendance at Sunday-school last Sunday. The primary class had its corner filled with children.

At the church service the pastor gave an inspiring message from Revelation speaking principally on "the second death." An offering was taken for the war victims' fund, and another one will be taken next Sunday.

The prayer meeting last Thursday evening was held at the home of Wilbert Plummer. There was a good attendance. There was a teachers' meeting held after, and it was decided to have a special Sunday in the Sunday-school each quarter, with the children taking part, and present those who have 75 per cent or more attendance with certificates. The first quarterly Sunday will be held Easter Sunday.

Last Thursday, Mar. 6, 15 ladies met at the home of Mrs. Archie Sedore and quilted two quilts for the Red Cross. Mrs. Sedore served a lovely tea, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent.

The Dorcas society intends holding its next meeting, Mar. 19, at the home of Mrs. Fred. Knights. A quilt will be ready to work on. A good attendance is hoped for.

The prayer meeting this Thursday was held at the home of Fred Knights. The pastor has been speaking on "Elijah" at the prayer meetings, and making it both interesting and helpful.

Mr. Edwin Payne spent Sunday at his home here.

Messrs. Malcolm and Murray Love were home for the weekend.

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Mr. Alan Fawcett and his fiancee, Miss Helen Higgins, of Oshawa, were the guests on Sunday of Mr. Fawcett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fawcett.

Friends are sorry to hear that Mrs. G. B. Thompson is seriously ill with flu, and wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Robt. McCarnan is still under the doctor's care. Friends hope she will soon improve.

Mr. Art Bellar of Toronto spent the weekend with his wife and son, Glen, here.

Mrs. Steve Thompson has been ill in York County hospital, Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wernham spent Saturday in Toronto.

Mr. Harold Tate of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of his mother and brother, Mrs. Tate and Mr. U. Tate, here.

Misses Ruth and Donna Milligan, who underwent tonsil operations in York county hospital in Newmarket last Monday, are almost completely recovered.

Miss Edna Bell of Toronto spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wadsworth and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennitz of Newmarket were the guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. W. Simmerson.

Mr. Bert Bell and Mrs. H. Bell of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. J. Thompson and family.

Mrs. Alfred Deans of Toronto is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Deans, for a week.

Mr. Ernest West of Toronto visited on Monday with his sister, Mrs. E. Thompson.

Miss Mabel Hutchinson of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. McCallum.

Mrs. H. Long of Port Arthur is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard and Dorothy were the guests of Mrs. B. VanVliet and children in Toronto on Sunday.

Several from here attended the shower given on Saturday in Newmarket by Mr. J. Scott for Mr. and Mrs. Blake Madill.

A party was held on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McCallum, the proceeds of which are to be donated to the British war victims' fund. A large crowd attended and had a very enjoyable evening playing euchre and dancing. Lunch was provided by the ladies of the community. Mrs. W. Sweezie won the ladies' prize for euchre, and Mr. Jack Gregg, the gentlemen's prize.

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PEOPLE TURN TO CHURCH IN TIME OF WAR

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Toronto, which includes St. John's R. C. church, Newmarket, are binding on all Catholics with certain exceptions.

All week days of Lent are fasting days. The law of fasting, which means restriction to one full meal per day, with two refections, binds those Catholics who have completed the 21st year of age until the beginning of the 60th year. The obligation of fasting does not extend to the sick, the infirm, women nursing or bearing children, or those engaged in exhaustive work.

The law of abstinence from meat and from soup made of meat binds all over seven years of age. In Lent, the days of abstinence are all Wednesdays and Fridays, Saturday of Ember week, and Holy Saturday until noon.

In addition to these binding regulations, pious observances proper to Lent are recommended for Catholics. These include such things as avoidance of all public amusements, such as theatres, moving-picture shows and dances, assisting at Lenten devotions in the parish churches, such as the Way of the Cross on Fridays, family prayers.

"I wouldn't be surprised that Lent isn't observed as much as it used to be," said Rev. B. Babcook, pastor of the Free Methodist church. "However, I think it is quite well observed wherever practical. The laboring people have to have food.

"No public statement is made, it is left to the individual as far as fasting is concerned," he declared. "It is recommended from the pulpit."

Mr. Babcook said that, as in other churches, special prayer services are held each week during the Lenten season.

UNION STREET

Mr. S. Cannon and Mr. R. Hopper visited Mr. D. Benton.

Mr. A. Park visited Mr. D. Benton over the weekend.

Miss Audrey Benton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Hopper.

Gordon Watson will have his birthday on Friday.

Shirley Cole will have her birthday on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Friel and two children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newall, over the weekend.

Mrs. Joyce of Queensdale visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newall over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cunningham spent Monday at Mr. Joe Grose's home and also attended a demonstration at Stouffville.

The last women's prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. A. English on Wednesday of last week.

S.S. No. 8 school had their Easter examinations last week, from Monday until Friday.

On Friday evening, March 14, there will be a skating party held at the Queensville arena for all the schools in the vicinity, starting at 7.30 p.m. Proceeds will go to the war victims' fund.

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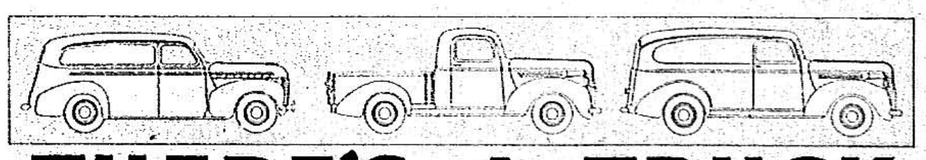


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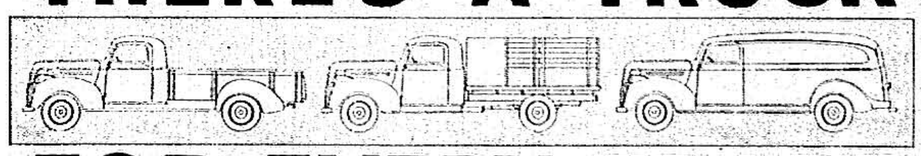
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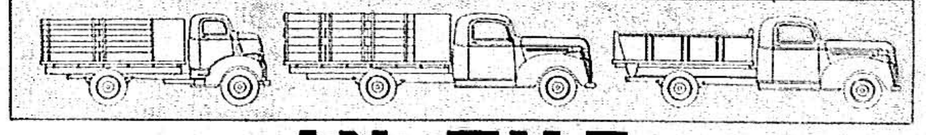
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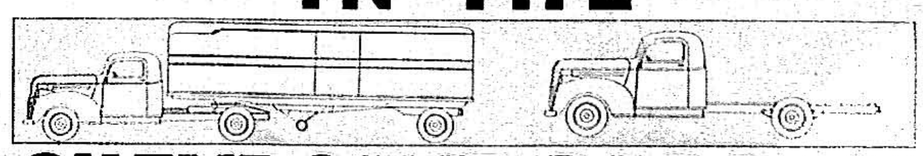
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MOUNT ALBERT

JAS. NEWBURN DIES, WAS RURAL MAILMAN

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Ciglen of Toronto and Capt. J. L. Stiver of Camp Borden were visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Stiver, over the weekend.

The funeral of the late Jas. Newburn, who passed away on Sunday in York county hospital, was held on Tuesday afternoon from the funeral parlors of A. Theaker and Son, with burial in Queensville cemetery.

Mr. Newburn was born 85 years ago in North Gwillimbury, the son of Jane Ryan and John Newburn. He was a blacksmith at Belle Ewart for many years. Later he lived at Brownhill and about 20 years ago came to Mount Albert, where he was a rural mail-carrier until ill-health compelled him to retire.

Mr. Newburn was married twice, his first wife was Miss Lizzie Glover and his second wife was Mrs. Linda Miller. He is survived by one brother, Chas. Newburn.

Options are out for Mount Albert Horticultural Society and anyone who hasn't joined up yet may do so now and help make the village beautiful. There are many things to help these days, but home should be looked after and kept looking bright and cheery.

Mrs. Rennie, Sr., has returned home after spending several months with her son, Mr. John Rennie, at Kitchener.

Mount Albert continuation school will put on a three-act mystery-comedy, "The House of Horrors," in the town hall on Friday, March 21. The proceeds are in aid of the Red Cross. The concert will be followed by a dance.

Mrs. Fred Spencely spent last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Spencely.

Mrs. J. L. Stiver of Ottawa spent last week with her sister, Mrs. P. E. Rowan, leaving on Friday for her home. Mrs. Rowan went with her to Toronto and spent the weekend there.

Miss Jean Hamilton of Cookstown spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. Crowle.

The hall board is holding their usual dance on Friday evening, which will take the form of a St. Patrick's party, when prizes will be given for costumes, etc. Audrey Smith's orchestra will provide the music.

Miss Tillie Dunn and Miss Viola Hamilton spent last week with Mrs. J. F. Burr at Richmond Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tilley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz attended the dance held in Newmarket on Friday evening, put on by the Lions club.

Mr. Wm. Brown was called to Orillia last week owing to the serious illness of his father, and he will be away for a few weeks.

MOUNT ALBERT

MRS. MARY QUIBELL MARKS 89TH BIRTHDAY

Congratulations go to Mrs. Mary Quibell, who celebrated her 89th birthday on Saturday and was at home to her many friends during the afternoon and evening.

Her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Smalley, of Uxbridge, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Everton Quibell, of Mount Albert, received with Mrs. Quibell, and her son, Everton Quibell, and grandson, Norman Smalley, assisted in looking after the guests.

Mrs. D. B. Pegg and Mrs. Alfred Parks poured tea in the afternoon and Mrs. Wm. Broad and Mrs. Chas. Brooks poured in the evening, assisted by Mrs. David Harwood, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mrs. Nelson Oliver and Miss Dorothy Oliver. Miss Ruby Oliver was in charge of the guest book.

Some 60 friends called to wish her a happy birthday and continued good health.

Mrs. Quibell lives alone, does her own work, and follows current events with interest. Her ready wit makes her a favorite with both old and young.

Mount Albert unit of East Gwillimbury Red Cross packed the following this week: 12 pairs of pyjamas, one pair of gloves (lady's), 10 pairs of two-way mitts, two pairs of whole mitts, one helmet, one soldier's scarf, four seamen's scarves, three khaki sleeveless sweaters, six grey sleeveless sweaters, donated by the Women's Institute, five pairs of seamen's socks, 10 seamen's sweaters, 34 pairs of socks, two air force blue sleeveless sweaters.

EAST GWILLIMBURY

RED CROSS SENDS BOX TO ALL LOCAL BOYS

The Sharon unit of the Red Cross plans to hold a progressive euchre on Tuesday, March 25. The usual good time is being arranged for.

The township rallied for packing on Tuesday. Splendid work came from all units. Mount Albert Institute donated six sleeveless sweaters and one pair of whole mitts.

The final arrangements for the sending of boxes are being made. All boys from the township who are serving overseas will be sent boxes. If, for any reason, anyone is in doubt as to whether certain names are on the list, they are asked to please get in touch with the local unit president, as the unit wants every soldier to be remembered.

Mount Albert high school will present a play on Friday evening, March 21, entitled "The House of Horrors." This will be followed by a dance. The pupils are generously donating the proceeds to the Red Cross.

Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Parker spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

A social is to be held on Wednesday evening, March 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards. There will be a lucky draw on a quilt made by Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Gould. Proceeds go to the Red Cross.

Mr. Alfred Hamon of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Charles Sommerville.

Miss Dorothy Webster is visiting in Barrie for a few days.

Miss Laurene Keffer is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

The Y.P.U. are holding a social evening on March 17 at the Glenville church.

The community was sorry to hear that Mr. George Smith was rushed to York county hospital on Tuesday of last week for an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. William Allan has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. William Hughes, since the loss of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald held a progressive euchre party on Wednesday of last week. The high for the ladies was Mrs. Arnold Dove and for the gentlemen Ed. White; low, Mrs. Shaw and Harry Gould; lucky plate, Mrs. Ed. White; 1st lone hand, Mrs. A. Dove; for the children, Effie and Marion Dove. They all enjoyed the evening.

Mrs. William Allan has gone home to Alliston for two weeks and Miss Kay West has accompanied her. She is getting ready for a sale and then will live with her daughter, Mrs. William Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archibald and son, Kenneth, spent Friday afternoon with Mr. Archibald's sister, Mrs. Robert Rose, and Mr. Rose.

The Pottageville United church is holding an Irish stew supper on Monday in the church.

Miss Hattie Cutting of Toronto was home over the weekend.

A few of the ladies of the W.A. made another quilt on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Paton and son, of Tottenham, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Paton of Laskay spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton.

Mr. Eddie O'Brien of Newmarket spent Sunday with his uncle, Mr. Ed. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and boys of Nobleton spent Sunday with Mr. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson.

Sharon

The Sharon junior farmers' club and institute play, "Mother-in-law Blues," was well received last Thursday in the Sharon hall. This comedy is being presented at the following places for war work: Belhaven hall, March 17; Bogarttown school-house, March 20; Queensville United church, March 21.

Snow Costs Whitchurch $2,000 Since Dec. 15

Fred A. Lundy of Newmarket was awarded the public liability road insurance for Whitchurch township by the council in session on Saturday at Vandorf.

Heretofore this policy was with another company, and the switch will save the township $32, and in the opinion of the members, they have as good or better coverage with a tariff company.

Some doubt was expressed about paying the two police officers $75 each for acting as relief officers. Reeve Toole pointed out that there was not a single case on the west side at present to be looked after, and only five in the whole township. The idea of paying the officers only for the trips they make in this work was frowned on by Councillor Kidd. He cautioned that the system may run into more money that way. Even five cases should be investigated monthly. Council agreed to leave the matter until the April meeting for definite decision and action.

"I have yet to hear a complaint about the manner in which we have kept the roads open," said Reeve Toole, when it was shown that road expenditures from Dec. 15, have been around $2,000. This paid for operation of the two plows, some shovelling, repairs to the big maintainer, including a pair of tires, and other expenses.

On motion of Councillors Kidd and Leary, the council, in anticipation of another winter and higher costs, ordered 8,000 feet of snow fencing.

County taxes will be down about $1,000, according to the annual tax bill received from the county office. Whitchurch will pay this year some $19,157, of which $7,861 is for secondary education costs, based on the number of pupils attending from this township.

Council expressed regret over the continued illness of their colleague, Deputy-Reeve Cook.

Accounts ordered paid included: Woodstock hospital, indigent, $45; registry office, Newmarket, $7.05; office stool, $1.25; Mountain San., $12; provincial treasurer, department of health, $0.24; hospitalization for month, $99.75; relief for February, $55.13.

KING COUPLE MARK 57TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carver of King celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary last week. Many friends visited them and extended congratulations on their long and happily married life.

After their marriage in Bond Congregational church in Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Carver lived at Hope in Vaughan township the first 20 years of married life. In 1904, they moved to King. Both are members of King United church.

Mr. Carver, who is 87, prizes hard work and simplicity in living as a guide to long life. This, he believes, is the only way to enjoy living.

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TODAY'S UPHEAVAL

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second, the renaissance, and lastly, the industrial revolution.

"The church in all three periods," he declared, "was responsible for the preservation of many of the best things down through the years. The church served time and humanity by occupying itself with the task of that day and in so doing saved itself too."

Institutionalism, pettiness, and timidity he named as the three retarding factors that had kept back the church from playing its proper role in the affairs of the day and that had allowed the world to arrive at a state of chaos and confusion resulting in today's struggle.

"There is too much over-interest in denomination, too much concern for the material welfare of a particular sect," Mr. McCulley declared. "The forces of evil know where their interests lie and they are not divided. If we really believe in Christianity we must be prepared to submerge individual sect and dogma. There is too much living up to the letter rather than to the spirit.

"We are interested in petty matters that have no relevancy in a world crashing about our heads. If we were sincere in our beliefs we would have no time for trivialities. We have been afraid in the past to let the world know the kind of message we have for them.

"Service clubs, which were doing a wonderful work, arose out of the church, but were successful and able to make demands for both time and money from their members much better than the churches," the speaker stated. "They are challenging the latest ideas of their members and they use their man-power in a way very few churches do. They are built on ideals and idealism is a quality that arose within the church."

However, Mr. McCulley said that he could see rays of sunshine among the clouds.

"I am a realist," he said, "not a pessimist, and as I watch the activity among the churches I do see some hope. The church realizes it is fighting for its life today. Each individual parish is like a platoon in the army. It has its own little job to do and if done well even though it seems insignificant the whole result is amazing."

Mr. McCulley told of the now famous Anglican Malvern conference held amid falling bombs and in a cold, cheerless hall in which both clergy of all degrees and laity talked the problems and the weaknesses of the church over and discussed how best it could take part in shaping the new order of things.

"The church has failed to carry out or realize the serious convictions of the society of today. If it is to survive and democracy is to survive, Christian thought must have the courage to grapple with and keep apace with problems of a rapidly changing world.

"We must face the facts. The movement to bring this about can only begin in such groups like this, in countries where such groups may still meet. The challenge to our civilization and to Christianity by the forces of evil is a responsibility we all have to deal with. Either we must be bold enough to meet the challenge or we will be forced to endure under a system that is absolutely alien to every principle we hold dear."

Mr. McCulley was introduced by Kenneth Ketchum, headmaster of St. Andrew's college, while H. M. Magee moved the vote of thanks.

The dinner, which was one of the finest held in Aurora in recent years, was well attended and was called for the purpose of organizing a men's society. Rev. R. K. Perdue, People's Warden Martin Southwood and Rector's Warden Lorne C. Lee dwelt on the need for such an organization.

Capt. Dr. C. R. Boulding was chairman and in charge of the program, which included a group of baritone solos by Major J. H. Craig of the Newmarket training camp and readings by Lieut. George Patton.

Major Craig sang "Romeo in Georgia," "On the Road to Mandalay" and "Land of Hope and Glory." Lieut. Patton, known throughout Canada for his inimitable rendition of Lancashire and Yorkshire dialect and well-known in radio, gave such old favorites as "Albert in the Lions' Den," "Magana Charter" and others.

The following officers were elected: honorary president, Rev. R. K. Perdue; president, William C. Waite, Sr.; vice-president, W. R. McQuade; secretary, William McGirr; treasurer, John Walton; social convenor, Capt. Dr. C. R. Boulding; works convenor, William Boak.

LICENSING

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wife that would like to go back to the housework of 20 years ago? I venture to say that few of you would do it.

Now take, for example, the service that is extended to the public of today from our different houses of business. If you do not get the desired service from one, your answer is to change to another. This same change should take place with the men you have elected to represent you in your council. If their method of administration of public affairs does not give you the service that you should have, the alternative is to change to another, until you have men who are aggressive, and who will use every effort at their command, to better the conditions in their municipality.

From observations, I have found that a great majority of these men stand for office and are elected on one ticket, namely economy. They impress their supporters that stint and conservation of public moneys is the only method of reducing the tax-rate. And when elected, they practise their method to a painful degree, slashing the different department appropriations to a point where the department head finds it impossible for him to give the degree of service that is expected of him from you, the taxpayer. The object of this, of course, is to try and impress his supporters that he is the watchdog of the civic treasury.

This type of administration, or method, is obsolete.

If these men would look around them for new sources of revenue that are being enjoyed by other municipalities they would then see the reason that our town is not able to have the improvements that it should have, through lack of funds.

One of the chief reasons they do not want to institute new sources of revenue, on the part of some of our representatives, is the fact that they are controlled by a few sanctimonious individuals who would rather see their town have an overdraft at the end of the year instead of a credit balance. To these men I say, stand on your own feet, forget your affiliations, be on your toes and alive to all the methods that are possible to secure extra revenue for our town.

If you can't think of any yourself, I'll leave a few here with you: institute a poll-tax, license all bicycles, dogs, peddlers, canvassers, tobacco, cigarettes, all types of delivery sales, overhanging signs, billboards, slot machines, institute proceedings for a plebiscite to secure beverage rooms.

Thousands of dollars each year could be secured from the above licensing, yes, right in the town of Newmarket.

They are securing funds in other municipalities from this self-same licensing. Why not our town? I ask you the question, are we better able to pay a higher tax rate than they are? If you think we are, ask any business man in town about his credit accounts, or further, enquire about the overdue unpaid taxes, which amount in the thousands. Then, dear folks, you will have a little different picture of "conditions have changed" in the town of Newmarket.

NEWMARKET BOY, OVERSEAS AS TRANSPORT DRIVER, IS COMMENDED BY SUPERIORS

Several interesting letters from England have recently been received by relatives of Pte. Lorne Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher of Newmarket, and brother of Mrs. Wm. Stone (Orpha) of Mimico, and Mrs. Leonard Fish (Ruth) of Weston.

Extracts from these letters are given below.

England, Nov. 26.

Dear Orpha:

. . . You asked me in your letter what the fog is like over here. Well, we have not had any to speak of until yesterday morning when we got up it was almost thick enough to cut with a knife, and, as luck would have it, the transport officer came in and said, Pte. Fletcher, go and get something to eat as soon as possible, as you have a 210-mile round trip ahead of you. Well, I had my breakfast and started out and what a ride it was. I drove from five to ten miles an hour until 11 a.m. and then the fog suddenly lifted and then you should have seen me go. The speed limit is 35 miles per hour, but ahem, my speedometer does not work!

You asked me if I would like some tobacco or cigarettes. Well, sweetheart, it doesn't matter which, either one would sure be welcome, as tobacco is almost $6 per pound over here and it is nowhere near as good as Canadian smokes and even the best cigarettes over here are rotten. I am not sending anyone over there anything for Christmas as it takes nearly all I get to keep me in tobacco, so if you care to send me some smokes, O.K., but don't run yourselves short as I will get along all right.

Tell Stoney to tell Tom Apps I had a trip into Kent county the other day. I was over to a place by the name of Tunbridge Wells. It is about 50 miles from Brighton-by-the-Sea. I wish you could see this country. I know you would love it. It sure is a beautiful place and I for one would be quite contented to stay here for the duration of the war.

This place we are in now is very quiet. We only have the Germans over now and then machine-gunning the streets, but the place we were in last was a humdinger. They were bombing around there every night and sometimes they would almost shake us out of bed, what with the bombs exploding and the anti-aircraft barrage going full guns, they kicked up quite a racket.

We have just been told that any letters or parcels that were mailed in Canada between Oct. 15 and 21 have gone to the bottom of the ocean, so perhaps that is where the parcel the Vets sent to me has gone.

England, Dec. 3.

Dear Mother and Dad:

Just a line to let you know I received your most welcome letter, paper and parcel today, and maybe you think I wasn't glad to get it. Everything was in the best of condition. I was beginning to think my mail and parcel had gone to the bottom and at that I suppose some of it has, as the Germans sunk five of our boats in four hours the other day and it is said around here that 16,000 bags of Christmas mail for the Canadian troops over here went down with them.

We are having wonderful weather over here. The last few nights we have had some heavy frosts, but not bad enough to freeze the flowers that are still in bloom.

You asked me if I had been up to Scotland on my leave yet, but so far I haven't and I guess it will be some time before I do, as since I have been sent up to the regiment there are so many ahead of me it will probably be next summer before my turn comes.

I see by the paper today the people over here are going to have their bacon and meat rations cut again. It is a good thing the grass is green over here the year round, they can at least eat that, as it is not rationed.

This section of England is nearly all chalk, but it grows wonderful crops. I am sending you a picture of some of the country down here and you can see the white chalk where it has been plowed. You can also see a chalk road down through the valley with a hedge on either side.

England, Dec. 5.

Dear Mother and Dad:

. . . The transport officer told me that they were so well pleased with my driving and general conduct that when the others boys that I came up to the regiment with are sent back to the holding unit, I won't be among them but will stay with the regiment. Big thing for Fletcher, eh what?

England, Dec. 6.

Dear Ruth:

. . . You ought to see the outfit I drive over here. It is built by Ford and it sure can step. There is an anti-aircraft gun mounted on the back with two men to man it and they sure are a wicked little outfit to tangle with.

We are having very nice weather over here, rather cool at nights, but nice and warm in the day times. We have only had a few frosts at night so far and no snow, so you can imagine it is quite a change to Canadian weather. It is very windy today and this morning I was down around the sea front and the waves were coming in anywhere from ten to 20 feet high. It is quite a sight.

You know it seems very funny. We are known as the first line of defence. We are only about a quarter of a mile from the sea and the building we are in has hot and cold running water. We have nice spring beds with good mattresses. We also have an electric radio and an electric iron for ironing our clothes and the building is steam heated. Some class for the front, eh?

REMINISCENCE

By GOLDEN GLOW

In my earliest recollections of this time of the year I can see again in memory huge loads of logs heading for Cane's factory from all directions.

I mean from every road and street coming into town from the country—and flat cars along the spur railway leading to their lumber yard, piled high with logs, from outside centres. When the sleighing was bare, oh, how the poor horses did strain! There would usually be several drivers together, and should one get stuck the other would unhitch his team and load No. 1 would be hauled across, then No. 1 would unhitch his team and help haul No. 2 across and so on. It was always an unspoken law that youngsters should not sneak rides ("hanging on bobs," we called it) on bob-sleds carrying logs, for they all felt it was hard enough on the horses as it was. Even the drivers walked beside the load.

Cane's lumber-yard by spring was full, with thousands of logs ready to be made into all sorts of things, from clothes-pins and pickle-pails to elaborate fixtures for homes, fancy mantels for fire-places, piano benches, fancy frames for screens, and all sorts of things made from wood! It was a busy place! Once I went through (on a tour of inspection) with a cousin from Vancouver, a builder and architect, and he was delighted with everything he saw.

To this day I recall how fascinating it was to watch a huge log being ripped up, and finally emerge as clothespins, all polished and ready for the housewife to use the next wash-day to hang out her clothes. The nice woodsy smell and the piles of fragrant sawdust, the cheery atmosphere and the smiling interest of the workmen, who in those days could take a few minutes to explain the different operations.

And all this comes back to me, thinking of the huge loads of logs we used to see "going to Cane's factory" in the old days! Shall I tell another recollection I have of those same logs—I don't recall the punishment we received, but no doubt it was made to "fit the crime!"

A bevy of girls, who were not supposed to go outside our own or our chum's garden, unless taken by an elder member of the family, were tempted to go down to Cane's logs and get "turpentine." Oh, what an experience!—I am sure it was punishment enough without anything more!

In those days we wore our hair flowing—perhaps bound with a ribbon, but in curls down our backs, and our hair stuck to the gummy, sticky substance oozing from the cut ends of the logs; we scratched ourselves and got full of pine splinters; we rolled off logs and they rolled on us—however we escaped without breaking any bones. I don't know, except that there surely is a special Providence watching over children!

Luckily for us, somebody had seen us go, for eight small girls led by an adventurous boy cousin couldn't escape notice, and a search party soon located us. I can't speak for the rest of my fellow conspirators, but I don't mind confessing I was good and glad to be rescued, and down in my heart I vowed I'd never go again to scrape turpentine off a log! Honest to Betsey I never did!!

But now that wonderful factory is only a memory, and the elder Canes, who owned it, are now no more, except Mr. Eugene Cane.

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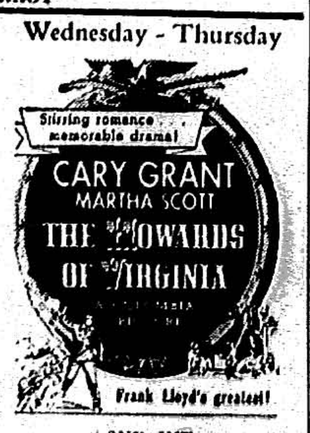


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